

Weather
Cloudy but rather fine weather. The maximum temperature yesterday was 52.7 and the minimum 39.1, the figures for the corresponding day last year being 46.8 and 43.3.

The China Press

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The Mail Box
MAILS FOR U. S. and Europe, Str. Pres. Jackson, Dec. 17.
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SHANTUNG IS TURNED OVER WITH LITTLE CEREMONY

Chinese Under Dr. C. T. Wang Take Control

SOLDIERS ALERT

Bandits In And Around Tsingtau Routed

(Special To The China Press) Tsingtau, Dec. 10.—The formal transfer of administrative authority at Tsingtau took place today, following the arrival on the eighth of Dr. C. T. Wang and Civil Governor Hsiung, with 2,000 well armed soldiers and police. These, with an American warship in the harbor, seemed to reassure the population.

Sharply at noon the Chinese flag was hoisted on the staff at the Central Yamen, the Chinese saluting the Japanese officials as they retired from the building. The Japanese graciously returned the salutes. Crowds of interested Chinese and others in the streets watched the proceedings, after which there was a general celebration, with an abundance of fireworks.

Yesterday there was a brush between the government troops and bandits at Li-tsun, five miles north. Several of the bandits were wounded and the whole band was scattered. In the city proper the police killed three robbers last night and scattered the others. This determined stand for order is having a quieting effect on the people and business is being resumed. The American flag, after a lapse of eight years, again floats from the consulate.

(Reuter's Pacific Service) Tientsin, Dec. 11.—The special correspondent of the Peking and Tientsin Times at Tientsin reports that the formal transfer of the Administration was effected yesterday with the minimum of ceremony. Dr. C. T. Wang and General Hsiung Ping-chi arrived at the Government Building at 11 o'clock in the morning and were received by the Military and Civil Governors, General Yuhl and Dr. Akiyama.

The proceedings within the building were private but it is believed that they included brief speeches and the handing over of the formal documents. At noon hundreds of Chinese collected and the Chinese flag was raised amid some handclapping. The Chinese police saluted the Japanese soldiers and a Chinese cruiser fired a salute of 21 guns. According to the correspondent the subsequent proceedings were mismanaged.

The Japanese did not return the salutes and ignored the Chinese officials as the latter emerged from the building. When General Yuhl appeared, both the Chinese and Japanese alike saluted and a trumpet fanfare was blown, after which the spectators pressed forward and Chinese flags were placed before the entrance. The Japanese troops withdrew, merely bowing to the Chinese.

The proceedings at the police station were more cordial. The Japanese exchanging salutes. General Yuhl plans to leave with the remaining Japanese troops on December 14. The dock and wharf staffs continue for 10 days.

Dr. C. T. Wang, interviewed, said that he felt confident that there would be no further trouble with bandits, all of whom have now left the town. Dr. Wang stated that he had 3,700 troops and police within the town and 10,000 on the boundary.

Japanese Troops To Stay Ten Days

(Reuter's Pacific Service) Tokio, Dec. 9.—The Foreign Office announces that, at the request of the Chinese authorities, who are desirous of maintaining order in the territory of Tsingtau, and in view of the present feeling of unrest, there the Japanese Government has decided to postpone the evacuation of its troops, for "some days."

After a full understanding with the Diplomatic Corps in Peking the necessary arms and

SMILES FROM THE MIXED COURTS



BY J. L. BUTTS

The ways of the debtor, be he Chinese or otherwise, are admittedly dark and devious. Still, there are occasions when the processes of the creditor are no less obscure and reprehensible.

Dong Shau-kuang was in the position of creditor to Tsao Sung-king. Doubtless he considered himself as rating among Tsao's preferred creditors. Tsao owed him \$6. The occasion for the negotiation of this loan was not mentioned in the course of the developments with which we are concerned and, anyway, as Dong pointed out, it happened a long time ago—a very, very long time ago. In fact, so remote was the occurrence that Dong had him awake many nights reflecting on what an unprincipled and disappointing sort of man this fellow Tsao had turned out to be.

It was not that Tsao had forgotten his indebtedness. Dong saw to that. But every time he mentioned the matter the other would getfully switch the talk into other channels, or walk away, or contrive in some such manner to convey to Dong that the topic was distasteful to him. Finally, so Dong said later, he decided that the thing had gone on about long enough.

Thus, one afternoon while Mrs. Tsao was occupied with her usual household tasks there came a knock at the door and she found Dong at the threshold. In his hand he bore a letter, which he presented to the worthy housewife. The message directed her to deliver to bearer, without question or delay, the sum of six dollars, large money, which were urgently needed by her husband. The communication was signed with Tsao's name and the signature had evidently been appended by a very agitated writer, so agitated that the wife could scarcely detect any of the peculiarities of Mr. Tsao's viciously in dire distress and with wifely solicitude she hastened to the treasury, procured six gleaming Yuans and thrust them into Dong's hand, whereupon that party dashed away with all the appearance of a man going to the rescue of his closest friend.

When Tsao got home for dinner there was much feverish conversation and then a policeman went in search of Dong.

"Well," said Dong to the Court, "he absolutely would not pay and it was the only scheme left to try."

All married debtors will learn with relief that the Court held Dong's collection methods to be highly unethical and ordered him two weeks of uninterrupted solitude in which to evolve a new system.

TOP FOR RESTAURATEURS
Wong Shau-kuang was emerging from the Yangtsepo Municipal electric plant in such luxurious fashion and obvious pain that Watchman Wang Yui-ching felt impelled to offer commiserations and agree with him that of all pangs those which attack the stomach are perhaps the most painful.

Instead of stopping for a sympathetic chat and a discussion of symptoms and of the relative efficacy of paracetic and jamaica ginger as dispellers of abdominal aches Wong executed a stately left wheel and galloped ponderously down the street, still clutching determinedly at his midriff. This performance so excited the watchman's curiosity that he galloped after the departing one and clutched his long gown. Whereat there was a loud metallic clatter on the pavement and the captor observed that a large cast iron boiler cap had slid out of Wong's costume.

At the Mixed Court yesterday a member of the plant's foreign staff testified that though the cover was similar to those used in rapping the city's boilers, no discrepancies had as yet been found in the

Russian Refugees Say 350 Orphans Constitute Their Gravest Problem

Others Are Willing To Shift For Themselves If Way Is Found To Care For Children Aboard Ships At Woosung

Simplification of the problem of what to do with the Russian refugees at Woosung came yesterday when the first intimation of what the Russians themselves wanted was secured by relief organizations seeking to be of assistance and by a representative of THE CHINA PRESS who boarded the s.s. Baikal at Woosung.

According to the commanding officer of the Baikal, the largest of the 14 ships lying at Woosung in the refugee fleet, the Russians aboard the ships who fled from Vladivostok just before the Reds

took control of the last bit of Imperial Russia, may be roughly divided into three classifications. The vessels are manned by between 700 or 800 officers and men of the old Russian Navy who, according to the Baikal's commanding officer, do not seek permission to land at Shanghai or Woosung. They have been in charge of the ships since the fall of the Czar without pay, and it is their intention to operate the ships as freight carriers. The second classification consists of the refugees in the true sense of the word—"White Guard" officers and men and officials of the old regime and their families—numbering between 600 and 700.

The refugees boarded the ships at Vladivostok in desperation lest they be summarily shot by the Reds upon their occupation of the Siberian capital.

POORLY CLOTHED
Their clothing consists of odds and ends collected before their flight and the only real shortage at the present time, according to the naval men, is shoes. The vessels have a supply of food that will carry them until the first of the year and enough coal aboard to provide heat and fuel for cooking purposes. They have not enough fuel to navigate the vessels, however.

The refugees would like to land in Shanghai if they can secure jobs and according to the Baikal commander are all workers at one or more trades. Rather than land in Shanghai without in opportunity to work out their own salvation it is said they would prefer remaining aboard the vessels and continuing to some other port.

The real problem facing Shanghai is in the disposal of the 250 orphans who were taken aboard the vessels from their school in Vladivostok. The boys range in age from 9 to 16 and are orphans as a result of the ravages of the war. Admiral Stark, commander of the refugees flotilla, took them away from Vladivostok to escape the ire of the Reds as they are the sons of "White Guards." Now however, with the food and fuel shortage Admiral Stark would like to turn them over to the charity of Shanghai.

HOLDS CONFERENCE
Yesterday morning he held a conference with Mr. V. Grosse of the Bureau of Russian Affairs concerning the orphan boys, and Mr. Grosse subsequently paid calls on the American Red Cross, United States Consul-General Edwin S. Cunningham and others in an effort to find some means of caring for them in Shanghai. Mr. Grosse last night said that he had not been able to arrive at any definite plan of action.

"I am still hoping, however, that some of the friends of Russia and Russians, and especially some of my American friends will be able to assist us out of our difficulty," Mr. Grosse said.

A meeting of the heads of several organizations was held yesterday morning at which a decision was reached to await the definite action of the Chinese authorities before any move was taken in the way of relief. If the Chinese definitely refuse permission for the refugees to land it is expected that some measures toward supplying the ships with food and coal will be undertaken if the Russians are permitted to land and the organizations are said to be prepared to assist them temporarily with the understanding that the Chinese Government assumes responsibility for them if they become public charges.

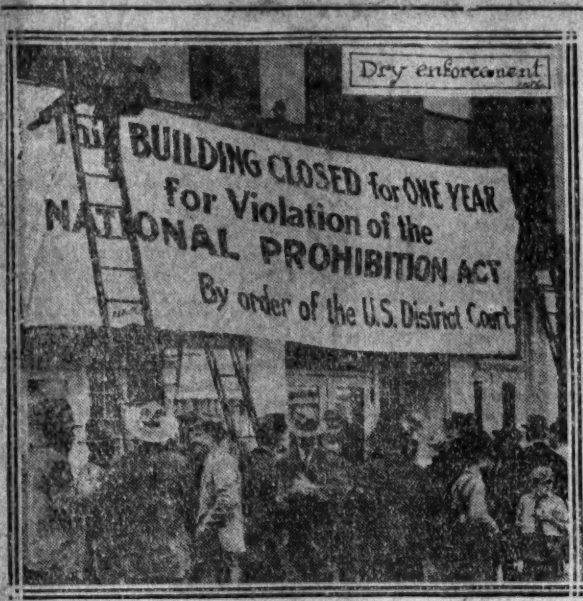
SOME LAND ANY WAY
Despite the refusal of the authorities to allow the refugees to land a number of them have already reached Shanghai and can be seen about the streets, particularly in the vicinity of the Public Garden and along Broadway. No soldiers are posted at the jetty at Woosung to prevent the refugees from landing and sampans go between the shore and vessels anchored near the breakwater without hindrance.

The "Baikal," the largest of the portless fleet, was formerly an ice-breaker used in Vladivostok harbor. The ship's commander was formerly chief of staff to Admiral Kolchak. The largest of the other ships are the Dimonde and the Paros, both of which were formerly coast patrol vessels under the old regime, and later under

Members of the Ningpo Association, Sun Teh-sung, Tsang Chung-hao, Wang Fu-chang and Shen Fu-chu, have also addressed a protest to the association against the use of the name of the body in connection with the meeting. They demand that the directorate of the association make known at once to the public by what right these delegates were able to represent the association at the meeting.

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Dry Law Has Teeth In It



THIS banner, nine feet by twenty-four, occupies almost half the front of the Milano Hotel, in San Jose, California, closed for one year as a nuisance under the Volstead act. It was placed there by U. S. District Prohibition Enforcement Agent S. F. Rutter, of San Francisco, and will remain there until October, 1923, to prove the dry law has "teeth."

Local Officials Hosts To Dr. Alfred Sze; Control Of Shantung R. R. Is Urged

Minister To Washington Will Be Honored At Dinner By Fourteen Local Bodies At Chamber Of Commerce Tonight; At Tiffin Tomorrow

Dr. Sao Ke Alfred Sze, Chinese Minister to Washington and chief delegate to the Washington Conference, was guest of honor at a dinner given last night by local Chinese officials at the P. H. Hotel. A number of prominent merchants and educationalists were also guests.

The hosts were General Ho Feng-hsin, Defense Commissioner; Hsu Yuan, Special Foreign Commissioner; Wang Keng-ting, Taoying

NO CLUES AFTER TWO WEEKS IN MURDER CASE

Rumors That Stolen Property Had Been Recovered Wholly Unfounded

Despite wild reports and rumors spread about the city over the week-end that certain of the property believed to have been stolen when Bernard Goldenberg was murdered over two weeks ago had been recovered the police last night had made no new progress in running down the murderers.

It was reported that detectives had discovered Mr. Goldenberg's watch and a revolver he had in his apartments, and that an early arrest would follow as a consequence. Both the watch and gun were found but not under dramatic circumstances. The watch was discovered in the safe and had evidently not been worn by the murdered man for some time previous to the murder, although it was thought to be missing at the time the police issued a circular describing the lost property.

The revolver, which belonged to a friend and was merely in Mr. Goldenberg's keeping, was found in a bag in the bottom of one of his trunks when relatives made a thorough search of all his effects on Saturday. He had evidently put it away upon receipt. It has also been scratched off the list of missing articles.

No progress in discovering a clue that would lead to any developments in the case has been made and the case today is as much a mystery as it was when Mr. Goldenberg's body was found.

LARRY SEZ:

"The production of wine in France has jumped from 45,000,000 hectolitres to 68,000,000. They probably just found out that Moscow Minnie was in Shanghai now doing the Champagne Trot and Eight Step."

To read the rest of CHIN CHIN, the pagoda of puffery turn to the editorial page. The Chin Chin cult of smiles and chucklers is growing every day.

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PREMIERS' CONFERENCE NEAR CRISIS; POINCARE DEMANDS PARTS OF RUHR

Bonar Law's Proposal To Accept German Bonds In Exchange For The French Debt Rejected, As Are Also Berlin's Counter Proposals

DANGER OF OPEN RUPTURE PAST

Situation With Regard To British And French Is Acute, But Italian And Belgian Representatives Are Trying To Find A Way Out

(Reuter's Service) London, Dec. 11.—While the Premiers' conference is still in session matters have undoubtedly reached a crisis. The situation with regard to an agreement with the French and the British is not altogether reassuring. It is stated that M. Poincare has definitely rejected the German plan and also the counter-proposal made by Mr. Bonar Law who offered to accept German bonds in exchange for the French debt hence M. Poincare adheres to his demand for the immediate occupation of the Essen-Bochum district of the Ruhr.

A meeting of the British Cabinet was summoned this morning. The Premiers' conference apparently will not reassemble until the Cabinet has reached a decision on M. Poincare's demand. The Italian and Belgian Premiers were endeavoring yesterday evening to find a way out of the crisis.

The belief is entertained that there will be no rupture. M. Poincare interviewed after the adjournment of the conference yesterday evening severely criticized the German Note. He considered the proposals altogether unacceptable. It is understood that this view is shared by all the Allies. It is expected that a reply to this note will be drafted today.

(Reuter's Service) London, Dec. 10.—Although yesterday's conversations between the Premiers in London were technically merely an exchange of views preliminary to the Brussels Conference, they were of a very grave character because the Conference at Brussels is impossible unless a preliminary agreement is reached.

Secrecy was officially maintained regarding the nature of the discussions but well-informed quarters declare that they were of a most vigorous nature chiefly owing to the French demand for the "mainmise" or occupation of the Ruhr coalfield and cancellation of European inter-Ally debts in return for the granting of a moratorium to Germany.

The diplomatic correspondent of the Observer says that Mr. Bonar Law yesterday was faced by one of the most baffling problems that ever confronted any Premier, namely, the alternative of refusing a proposal which would mean a European disaster or breaking with France. The correspondent adds that yesterday was one of the thorniest days since the Armistice precisely because these crises have progressively become worse in the past four years and it was recognized that a decision could no longer be postponed.

The best that could be said of the discussions yesterday was that they were to continue and therefore there was still hope. It is noteworthy in this respect that there have been suggestions in the French press recently that France would be willing to give way to a certain extent to the British point of view at Lausanne in return for a British concession towards the French attitude with regard to the Ruhr.

There was no conference this morning owing to the Prime Ministers having been invited to visit the King. Signor Mussolini saw Mr. Bonar Law for a short time alone. The Italian experts worked all night on Signor Mussolini's plan. The Conference will resume this afternoon at 3.00 o'clock when Mr. Bonar Law will submit the note headed "The Foreign Office last night by Herr Bergmann, the German reparations expert."

London, Dec. 10.—The Allied Premiers in London studied the German Note and Allied debts and the question of guarantees during a three hours session this afternoon. The conference will probably meet again tomorrow, prior to which the British Cabinet will meet to discuss the progress of the negotiations.

It is understood that the German proposals are largely based on the report of the Inter-Allied Commission of Investigation in Berlin.

U. S. HAS NO PART

(Reuter's Service) Washington, Dec. 9.—It is authoritatively announced that the Government is in no wise participating in the London Premiers' conference. It is pointed out that the United States is precluded from discussing the European debts. It is, therefore, expected that nothing relating to a project will come before the Government until there is some indication of the Allied Premiers' intention to call the conference at Brussels.

London, Dec. 9.—The German reparations expert, Herr Bergmann, has arrived in London, presumably with the object of explaining Germany's latest proposals to the Allied Premiers. It is understood that the first day's business of the Premiers' conference proceeded smoothly, being confined to political aspects, reparations and inter-Ally debts. No experts were called in. The discussions are being resumed tomorrow.

\$120,000 Raised In First Week Of Famine Drive

The sum of \$120,000 was subscribed for the Chekiang famine relief during the first week of the \$1,000,000 campaign, according to the official announcements made yesterday at a meeting of the Ningpo Association. The Chinese Native Bankers' Guild headed the list of teams with a subscription of \$38,000.

LI HOU-CHI'S AGENT SEEKING CHEKIANG PACT

Kao Chuan-chung Leaves For
Hanchow To Conclude
Negotiations

General Kao Chuan-chung, protégé of Ex-Chief Li Hou-chi of Fukien, left here for Hanchow yesterday in the company of General Chen Yao-san, commander of the Fourth Division. He goes to seek protection from General Li Ying-ling, Director of Chekiang Rehabilitation.

Kao was the only military leader in Fukien who stood out for his former master, Li Hou-chi, when the latter was ousted by General Wang Yung-chien, now commander-in-chief of Fukien forces. Later, he himself was defeated and came to Shanghai as a refugee. Despite the attempts made by the naval authorities and the Chihli faction to enable Li to re-establish his position in the southern province, Kao realized that his master's opportunity is gone and through his friends sought to arrive at an understanding with Chekiang, which Li had previously attempted.

General Li Hou-chi is still in Swatow. In spite of repeated requests to the Government, no assistance is forthcoming from Peking. Meanwhile, he is being pressed by his followers for the payment of their arrears, salaries and "taxes." It is understood, in fact, that his protégé is reaching an understanding with the military authorities in Chekiang at once.

American Liberal Chats With Dr. Sun On China

Dr. Paul E. Christensen, Farmer-Labor party candidate for President of the United States in the next election, and a prominent Liberal leader, who is making a tour of the world studying political and economic questions, paid a call on Dr. Sun Yat-sen at his residence on Rue Moliere yesterday. Mr. Christensen and Dr. Sun talked for nearly an hour on questions concerning politics in China and the Far East and Mr. Christensen reported that he had enjoyed meeting Dr. Sun immensely and was extremely well impressed with his views and ideas.

On Sunday Mr. Christensen visited two Esperanto schools in Shanghai and addressed the students in Esperanto. He was in turn visited by a delegation of Chinese Esperantists at the Astor House, where he is stopping.

Obituary

MR. M. J. DAVIDSON
Malcolm James Davidson, for more than 14 years night guard at the General Hospital died on Saturday after a short illness and was buried in the Bubbling Well Road Cemetery Sunday afternoon. Mr. Davidson was a marine engineer previous to his engagement at the hospital, having served on local and home ships.

MRS. J. J. de RAGO
Mrs. J. J. de Rago died at her home at 3 Elgin Road yesterday, aged 23 years. The funeral services will be held today, the cortege leaving the Church of the Sacred Heart of Jesus at 3:30 o'clock with interment at Bubbling Well Cemetery. All friends are invited to attend.

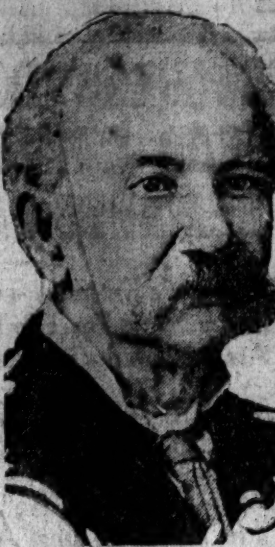
Moral Welfare League To Meet Thursday Afternoon

The annual meeting of the Moral Welfare League will be held Thursday afternoon at 5:15 o'clock in the Royal Asiatic Society Hall and all members of the twenty-two constituent societies supporting the League are urged to be present.

Subjects which will be presented for discussion are: 1—Five Year Closure Program; 2—Traffic in Women and Children; 3—The Travellers' Aid; 4—Mixed Court Home; and 5—Program and Budget for 1923.

The Moral Welfare League is planning a program of unusual interest for the coming year as the organization hopes to branch out into several new fields of service.

America's Oldest Active Newspaper Editor



John T. Deem, publisher and editor of the Du Quoin (Ill.) Tribune.

JOHN T. Deem, publisher and editor of the Du Quoin (Ill.) Tribune, is called the oldest active newspaper editor in America. He began his career as a printer's "devil" when he was ten years old and has spent seventy-two years in his chosen profession. He served in the Federal Army during the Civil War—the only break in his newspaper service. His most treasured possession is a letter of congratulation on his eighty-second birthday, received from Warren G. Harding, of Marion, O., editor of the Marion (O.) Star, when he isn't working as President of the United States.

Trade Unionists In Session At Hague

(Reuter's Service)
The Hague, Dec. 11.—The International Federation of Trades Unions organized by the Peace Conference opened here yesterday under the Presidency of Mr. J. H. Thomas. Four hundred delegates representing the various European countries were present. The United States Labor Federation declined an invitation to attend.

Liggett And Myers To Increase Capital

According to a cablegram received in Shanghai yesterday, a meeting of the stockholders of the Liggett & Myers Tobacco Co. early in January has been called for the purpose of increasing the capital stock of that company from G\$55,000,000 to G\$100,000,000. This will make the total assets of the Liggett & Myers Tobacco Co. approximately G\$200,000,000.

Shanghai Municipal Police (Reserve)

Orders by the A.C.P. (Reserve):
No. 177. Leave "H-Constable Gande" is granted leave from 7:12-22 to 17:12-23 inclusive.
W-Officer Patstone is granted leave with effect from 7:12-22.
No. 178. Promotion. S-Constable 105 Himrod is appointed Acting Warning Officer "C" Squad, Sinza, vice W-Officer Patstone, on leave.
No. 179. Transfer. S-Constable 125 Weston is transferred from Louza Division to Sinza.
(Signed) W. Beatty,
Assistant Commissioner of Police (Reserve).

LAO TO ASSIST

(Reuter's Pacific Service)
Peking, Dec. 7.—A Mandate was issued last night, appointing the Vice-Minister of Communications, Mr. Lao Chih-chang, to go to Shantung and assist Dr. C. T. Wang in taking over the Kiauchow-Tsinanfu Railway.

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REVENGE MOTIVE SEEN IN MURDER OF YOUNG CHINESE

Son Of Ship's Comprodor
Beaten To Death In
Tsepoo Road

A young Chinese, the adopted son of a comprador of one of the China Merchants steamers, was murdered in Tsepoo Road Saturday night, presumably as a matter of revenge.

The victim, who was 23 years old was found lying in the street, between North Honan and North Shans Road, with his head crushed in. A heavy iron bar was found near the body and it is believed that this was the weapon used.

The revenge motive theory is based upon an anonymous letter received on Saturday by the victim's adopted father and read at the inquest yesterday and upon the fact that several rough characters had called at the man's home, demanding to see him. A translation of the letter reads:

"Your son has been doing very badly in Canton and he is suspected of having taken part in smuggling of firearms, which is strictly forbidden by law. We found it out about two months ago. We inform you of this because something extraordinary may happen to him—such as murder."

The young man had been employed on the ship with his adopted father, travelling between Shanghai and Canton, but they had not made the last trip, owing to illness of the latter. While staying here, however, the son did not spend much time at home. On several occasions men called at the house asking for him and, finding him absent exhibited anger and used violent language in talking with the servants. It is believed that these men were members of a gang which the deceased had in some way offended and which committed the murder.

The police are pushing the investigation and arrests are expected shortly.

Smiles From The Mixed Court

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heating system. So the Court questioned Wong. "I found the lid," said Wong. "It didn't seem to be needed anywhere and I meant to use it to carry my rice in." The Court took another look at Wong's intended chow bowl, which was perhaps 18 inches across and weighed about 8 pounds, and decided that 24 hours in one of the Mixed Court cells would bring him back to normal.



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Refugees Say 350 Orphans Are Problem

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the "White Guards." Some of the ships are little more than tugs and several curious visitors who saw the portless fleet yesterday expressed wonder that they had ever made the trip here from Korea.

All the ships flying the old Imperial Russian flag in contrast with the Russian Volunteer Fleet vessels also lying in the river, which hoisted the Soviet flag a short time ago. The larger ships carried 3-inch guns in their days of service along the Siberian coast but before Japanese evacuated Vladivostok they rendered the guns useless, according to the men aboard. The Chinese, however,

desired to take every precaution and yesterday Commander Hsu Peh-hsiang of the Chinese gunboat Chu Yeh disarmed the ships under orders from General Ho Feng-shin, Military Governor of Sungkiang and Shanghai.

STRANGE BEDS

Because of the crowded condition of the vessels many of the refugees, in an effort to keep warm, made beds in the engine room, some even sleeping on the engine cylinders, hardly large enough to cling on to. Many secured nasty bumps by mid-night tumbles at sea, according to the navy men. All above decks, however, is shipshape, no beds or cots being permitted, and the ships are clean and in good condition. An adequate supply of ship's supplies is also on hand. The refugees aboard admit they have food enough to last them until at least

after Christmas and had no complaint to offer. All looked well fed and clean and no sickness of any kind has been reported.

The Chinese Red Cross Society is reported to have agreed to donate \$2,000 to a refugee fund if one is established with a definite program in view.

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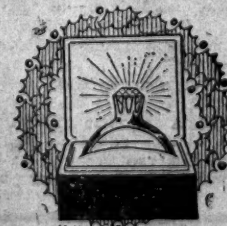
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Local Officials Hosts To Dr. Alfred Sze

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The Dr. Sze for his efforts on Washington and stated that Dr. Sze had enabled the students of the country to take an active interest in international questions which otherwise would not have been possible.

DR. SZE RESPONDS
Dr. Sze made a brief response, thanking his hosts for the courtesy and stating that much assistance was given him by the local bodies through the numerous messages (has he received while serving as delegate to the Versailles Conference as well as at Washington).

Among the guests present were Dr. David Z. T. Yui, people's delegate to the Washington Conference; Dr. Huang Yen-pel, vice-president of the Kiangsu Educational Association; Mr. Sun Fan-shan and Mr. Pan Tiao-pel, chairman and vice-chairman of the General Chamber of Commerce of Shanghai; Messrs. Y. S. Zier and Jchia Hui—of the Municipal Advisory Committee; Yang Tien-chi, representing the Peking Cabinet; Dr. T. H. Lee, president of the Fuhai University; Mr. Wang Chi-chi, representing the Ministry of Foreign Affairs; Messrs. Sze Koo and Lau, secretaries to Dr. Sze; Mr. Ivan Chen, former Commissioner of Foreign Affairs; Mr. Yao Moh-len, vice-chairman of the Nantao Chamber of Commerce; Mr. Mo Shu-tai of the Mill Owners' Association; Mr. Hsia Pan-tung, director of the Kiangnan Arsenal; Mr. Hsia Hung-chong, the coal magnate; Mr. Wang Han-chi, editor of the Sin Wan Pao; Messrs. S. K. Chen, N. T. Yang, C. T. Wang, and Y. F. Liu, secretaries of the Bureau of Foreign Affairs and others.

TO BE DINED TONIGHT
Minister Sze will be guest of honor at a dinner to be given at the General Chamber of Commerce of Shanghai tonight at 6 o'clock by 14 local organizations. An important feature of the program will be the submitting of a resolution signed by the hosts to Dr. Sze for him to present to the Peking Government. The resolution urges the immediate disarmament of superfluous troops in China in accordance with the resolution passed by the Washington Conference and requests the foreign powers not to ship any contraband of war to China or to loan any money to the government before the disarmament of all superfluous troops.

The organizations giving the dinner are the General Chamber of Commerce of Shanghai, the Kiangsu Educational Association, the American Returned Students' Club, the Shanghai City Chamber of Commerce, the Y.M.C.A., the National Committee of the Y.M.C.A., the Committee for the Redemption of the Shantung Railway, the Chinese Hatpayers' Association, the China Vocational Educational Association, the Shanghai Bankers' Association, the World's Chinese Students' Federation, the Shanghai Commercial College, Fuhai University and the Chinan Institute.

President Li Host To Japanese Envoy
(China Press Service)
Peking, Dec. 10.—The Japanese delegates on the Sino-Japanese Joint Commission in connection with the Shantung conference were entertained by President Li Yuan-hung at noon today, the time fixed for the transfer of Tsingtao to China.

The firing of guns in commemoration of the settlement of the Shantung question was distinctly heard in the Presidential Palace, when President Li toasted the health of the Japanese delegates and expressed his appreciation of their co-operation. Mr. Obata, Japanese Minister and Head of the Japanese Commission, responded.

Graham Barrow Speaks Before Catholic Club

Mr. E. P. Graham Barrow, headmaster of the Cathedral School delivered a lecture on "Shakespeare, Yesterday and Today," before the Catholic Club of China yesterday at the St. Joseph's Catholic Association rooms, interspersing his talk with readings from Shakespeare's plays.

Mr. Graham Barrow illustrated by readings many of the lessons he drew from Shakespeare and for an hour and a half delighted his hearers.

The lecture was one of a series given before the organization, Mr. A. de C. Sowerby being scheduled as the next speaker.

THUGS JAILED

Five Chinese charged with being in possession of arms and believed to have been members of an armed robber gang were sentenced in the Mixed Court yesterday, two receiving nine-month terms and the others terms of three months each. They were arrested in a food shop in Wyehow Road about two weeks ago, one being found in possession of a pistol and cartridges, another of a dagger and a third of a pair of striking irons.

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Shantung Turned Over With Little Ceremony

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ammunition for safeguarding Tsingtao will be supplied to the Chinese guards, when the Japanese troops are withdrawn which will not be later than Dec. 20.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Dec. 10.—It is reported from Tsingtao that yesterday's birthday celebration which continued throughout the day was purely of a social nature but it is anticipated that a political conference formal or otherwise will follow today.

General Wu Pei-fu and General Chan Fu-lai were both absent, having sent representatives to explain that the work of bandit suppression in Honan demanded their personal attention.

General Hsiao Yao-nan and General Sun Chuang-fang were however in attendance and also Mr. Wu Ching-hen. Mr. Wang Kuo-min and Mr. Li Shih-wel.

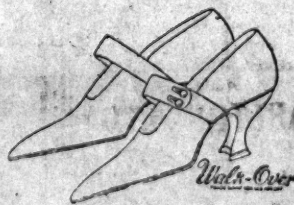
Mr. Kao Eng-hung having tendered his congratulations which were kindly received returned to Peking yesterday while contrary to the previous announcement, it is now stated that Dr. Wellington Koo has not left Peking.

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(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Dec. 11.—It is reported from Ichang that the military authorities there have commenced levying a tax of \$1.50 per bag on the salt shipments from Szechuen. A protest has been lodged locally.

Zalsman Pupils Delight Audience At Carlton Cafe

Pupils of Professor and Mrs. Gerald Zalsman, appearing in recital at the Carlton Cafe yesterday afternoon when the fourteenth Zalsman musical afternoon was held, reflected great credit on their teachers and delighted a large and enthusiastic audience.

The program was well balanced and the various numbers gave the students ample scope to demonstrate the results of their training and study.

Notice on the program was

he duct sung by Mr. H. F. Bell and Mrs. Zalsman, while Mrs. Jones, who sang "Orpheus and his Lute," was received enthusiastically. Mr. Bell also sang a delightful solo. Miss Florence M. White, in two numbers, gave evidence of promise as a lyric soprano while Miss Crighton gave three delightful numbers. Mrs. C. D. Komarov sang three difficult pieces with finish while others on the program who pleased were Mr. Bull, Mrs. Newberry, Mrs. Harvey, Mrs. Peake, Mr. Moffat and Mrs. Crough. Miss P. Hansen was prevented from appearing on the program because of illness.

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News Brevities

Rev. C. E. Spencer, M. A. will deliver a lecture at the Cathedral Church House on Monday, December 18, under the auspices of the Church of England's Men's Society. His subject will be "Movements of the Church of today and their significance."

A son was born yesterday to Dr. Peim's Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. A. Y. White of 500 Rue de la Paix.

Mrs. F. Aycock will lecture with lantern slides on "Notes on Chinese Civilization" to the Young Men's Hebrew Association at 19A Kiang Road tomorrow.

The Moral Welfare League will hold its annual meeting at the Royal Asiatic Society's Hall, Museum Road, at 5.15 p.m. on Thursday. The following will be discussed among other things: 1. Five-year closure program; 2. Traffic in women and children; 3. Traveler's aid; 4. Mixed Court home; 5. Program and budget for 1923.

The Home Economics department of the American Women's Club will meet tomorrow morning at the Carlton Cafe at 10:30 o'clock. Mrs. J. C. McCracken will speak on "Physical Welfare of Our Children in Shanghai" and Miss Vera Barter on "The Children's Health Program in America."

"Architecture and the progress of the world" will be the subject of a lecture to be delivered by Mr. Chao Tse-yu before the Y.M.C.A. tomorrow night at 8 o'clock.

Local Chinese organizations will hold a memorial in honor of Dr. Wu Ting-fang, former Premier, at the Modern Theater, Nantao, next Sunday, beginning at noon.

The Shantung Road Hospital is making an appeal to local philanthropists for contributions towards its expenses. This year's budget shows a deficit of \$5,000.

According to the local Japanese press the 16 officers sent by the Japanese Government to Hankow to remove the wireless station arrived here by the Tachin Maru. The work will not be completed before March, 1923.

A special legislative mission will be sent to the United States from the Philippines next year to work for the approval by Congress of the resolution recently adopted by the Philippine legislature requesting the United States to authorize the calling of a constitutional assembly to draft a constitution for the future Philippine Republic.

The first sugar cargo of the year from the Philippines, valued at P800,000, has just been shipped from Iloilo to New York.

A bill has been introduced in the Philippine legislature asking for the repeal of the co-education system in the Philippines on the grounds that it has proven a failure.

The Rev. William Imbrie has just returned to the United States after serving for 47 years in Japan.

The Polish Committee acknowledges the receipt from the Shanghai Race Club of \$1,000 and begs to express its sincere gratitude to the Committee and members of the Club for the generous donation.

Christmas gifts in beautiful cross stitch and Swarovski work have had a special all-day sale tomorrow and Thursday, at 114 Dixwell Road. A large new supply from five missions has just been received. Tray cloths, breakfast and luncheon sets, tea cloths, napkins, runners. Exceptionally fine linen, choice workmanship and unusual designs.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald G. McDonald were among passengers leaving on the S.S. Luenho yesterday for Hankow.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Little and two children arrived in Shanghai from Kiangsu yesterday on the S.S. Kungwo.

Mrs. Henry Fowler left for Hankow on the S.S. Luenho yesterday.

Last Monday a Russian, named M. Mihaloff, was sentenced to nine months' imprisonment by the Mixed Court for thefts at 45 Kiangsu Road. A French detective stated at that time that the man was wanted by the French authorities in Tientsin and Assessor Blackburn said that the prisoner would be handed over if necessary.

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A representative arrived here from Tientsin. Two officers are here now from the Northern port and it is understood Mihaloff will be handed over.

A coolie appeared in the Mixed Court yesterday charged with snatching a handbag from Mrs. Larson on Nanking Road last Sunday afternoon. Complainant's husband testified that he and his wife were standing near the Central Building looking at an advertisement when the accused snatched the bag and ran into an alleyway. Witnesses pursued him and he was caught by the Central Building watchman. The purse was found in the gutter. The accused declared that he had merely bumped into the complainant, who dropped the purse, and that he ran because frightened. The case was adjourned until this morning for the testimony of the watchman.

A dance will be held on Wednesday, December 13 at the Catholic Club, 13 Avenue Edward VII.

The engagement is announced of Miss Bertha Sternberg of Shanghai and Mr. E. R. Osborne of New Zealand.

The students of the Shanghai American School will give a music recital at the E. Yates Auditorium on Saturday afternoon.

Armed robbers who searched a boat at Broadway and Seward Road on Sunday supposedly after opium robbed the boatmen of \$112 and considerable clothing.

Copies of a pamphlet issued by the Committee in charge of the arrangements for the Jubilee Exhibition in Gothenberg to be held from May to September 30, 1923, have been received by THE CHINA PRESS.

The libel action brought against two Chinese by the Marine Service Mutual Aid Society and the charge of misappropriation brought by the Chinese Seamen's Union against another Chinese were withdrawn at the Mixed Court yesterday.

Mr. E. M. F. Gulgnard and Mrs. Gulgnard returned to Shanghai by the steamer Sado Maru after visiting in Europe.

Billie Powers, for the past year leader of the Del Monte Cafe Orchestra, will complete his contract at the Del Monte at the end of this week, and is understood to have completed negotiations with a large Shanghai cafe to bring out

a number of new musicians from the States and organise a new jazz orchestra to start the first of the year. Bijlee's orchestra has been very popular at the Del Monte and his new aggregation will be welcomed by the dance-lovers of Shanghai.

The silk which was shipped per P. and O. steamer Dongola from Shanghai on November 4, arrived in Marseilles at 4 p.m. on Dec. 8.

"The Education and Training of Chinese Engineers" will be the title of a paper to be read by Mr. J. A. Ely at the meeting of the Engineering Society of China, to be held at 5:30 p.m. December 19 in the Royal Asiatic Society rooms, 5 Museum Road.

According to the Dai Tons News Bureau, Chang Fu-lai, Commander-in-Chief of the Honan forces, has telegraphically asked the Peking Government to arrest Chao Ti, former Honan Tschun, who is charged with treason.

Mr. Yao Tse-zah was elected chairman and Mr. Yao Moo-lan, vice-chairman, at the annual election held at the Nantao Chamber of Commerce on Sunday.

The General Chamber of Commerce of Shanghai has created a sub-committee on disarmament. The committee of nine met for the first time at the North Honan Road offices yesterday afternoon.

An inquest was held by Assessor Mead and Magistrate Li yesterday over the body of a municipal coolie overcome by sewage gas in a manhole on Penang Road last Saturday morning. In returning a verdict the officials were of opinion that deceased's family should be accorded the benefit of the full gratuity ordinarily given in such cases by the Municipal Council, as he died as a consequence of accident while obeying instructions given by the Council's representative.

ROBBERY REPORTED

Zoe Kung-sung, an accountant at the Union Brewery, 40 Gordon Road, reported to the police yesterday that he had been held up and robbed of \$74.70 on Sunday night. Six armed men accosted him near Ferry and Macao Roads.

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Under the auspices of the American Women's Club, the British Women's Club, various churches, schools, and charitable organizations a Christmas tree and program is to be given for Shanghai to which men, women and children of all nationalities are invited.

A program featuring choral singing and living pictures will take place following the illumination of a giant tree.

A request for gifts of clothing, provisions and toys has been sent out to the community and every one who can is urged to contribute. Packages, with the name of the articles enclosed, should be sent to the Associated Charities, care of Mrs. Wheen. Donations should be wrapped carefully.

The tree is to be a community affair and everyone interested in the promotion of a community spirit is urged to get back of the Christmas plans and aid.

Russian Ballet

Jan Domaratzky, ballet master of the Russian Ballet at the Del Monte Cafe, has extended himself in this week's program and has given Shanghai amusement-lovers one of the best ballet programs ever seen in Shanghai.

The ballet number—"Fantasie Classique"—is exceptionally good and well worth seeing and the individual numbers are also good. Talia Bozhogova sings two charming songs—and Miss Bozhogova has a very pleasing voice—and Ida Rayevskaya, Claudia Spampanova, and Zena Saretto, in their individual dance numbers are considerably above the average. Miss Saretto's Spanish dance alone is worth the ride to Del Monte. The program continues all week, with dancing between each ballet number.

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TOBACCO TAXES

(Eastern News Agency)

Hankow, Dec. 11.—As the result of the conference on finance held at Loyang, the estimated revenue on Customs tariff at Wuchang, Ichang and Hsinting was decided to remain as they are, but the revenue on tax on tobacco, wines and spirits to increase \$200,000 and stamp duties \$300,000. The tax on tobacco, wines and spirits of Hupeh had hitherto been \$500,000 and that of stamp duties \$300,000.

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J. B. Ferrier's Record Round Of 72 Is Unavailing
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Scores At Kiangwan Run Unusually High

The fine round of 72 that was scored by Mr. J. B. Ferrier at Kiangwan, on Saturday, was not quite good enough to win a leg for that played on the cup offered by his father. Mr. Ferrier's 72 broke the course record for competitive play, but since he is a "plus one" man in the eyes of the handicap committee an additional stroke had to be added, giving him a net 73.

This was just one more than the net score of Mr. P. D. Sullivan, a 12 handicap man, who on Sunday turned in a card of 84. This, with 12 off, gave him a 72 and makes him, in consequence, the winner of a leg on the trophy.

Thirty-seven cards were taken out in the Ferrier cup competition this year, but only seven of those who competed finished with an eight or better. Their cards for 18 holes, medal play, with club handicaps, follow:

P. D. Sullivan	84-12=72
J. B. Ferrier	72+1=73
C. E. M. Thomson	84-8=76
A. V. Pettitt	85-8=77
H. B. Woodford	88-10=78
W. Ortyin	94-16=78
A. C. Godby	88-8=80

With such a large number of cards out (thirty-seven) the bulkiness of the scores is rather surprising, as conditions for play while not ideal, were not really bad. The grass on fairways and greens is dead, it is true, but the ground at Kiangwan is firm and the rough is not nearly as terrifying as earlier in the season. On both days of the competition the weather was very good, with a fine sun and but little wind.

Mr. Ferrier is unfortunate in that his fine score did not avail him anything more than the satisfaction of breaking the course record. However, that is a feat that any other golfer in the club would give his right eye to accomplish, so Mr. Ferrier will not have to provide any special buckets to catch the tears that his fellow club-members will shed out of sympathy for the champion in his misfortune.

Good as Mr. Ferrier's 72 was, the conviction lingers that he played better golf in his final round of the club championship match than he did on Sunday. On that day his medal score was 73—one stroke more—but the conditions under which he played were simply terrible, and all who saw him on that occasion were convinced that had he been favored with warm, still weather he would have broken 70 easily. A 73 in the cold, raw gale of two weeks ago was better than a 72 last Saturday, when the skies were smiling and a light jacket or sweater was sufficient in the way of outer clothing.

Mr. Ferrier is going great guns this season and nobody will be in the least surprised if he reaches down into the sixties before the winter is over.

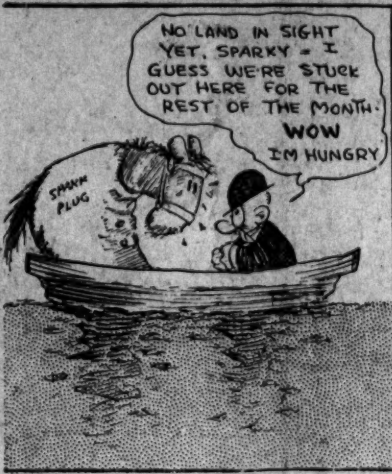
Three Chinese Basketball Games On For Tonight

Three games are carded in the championship series of The Chinese Basketball League this evening, two being played at the Chinese "Y" floor and one at Shanghai College. The Amateur team will meet the All Whites at the "Y" gym at 7 o'clock, and the Canton Baptist Church team will play the Fuhian five at eight o'clock on the same floor. The game at Shanghai College will be between the college team and the five representing the Alumni Association of the Public School for Chinese. It will start at eight o'clock sharp.

Of the three games, the one between the Amateurs and the All Whites is expected to be the most interesting. Tyau and Woo are evidently the two best Chinese forwards Shanghai has had in many years.

BARNEY GOOGLE

By Billy De Beck



DEMPSEY TO GET MILLION; THREE BOUTS

Champion Signs With Al H. Woods, New York Theatrical Man

MEETS WRESTLER

Will Scrap Strangler Lewis; Purse Is New World's Record

Memphis, Tenn., December 10.—Jack Kearns, manager for Jack Dempsey, champion heavyweight pugilist of the world, has conditionally accepted an offer by Al H. Woods, New York theatrical promoter, for \$1,000,000 for three Dempsey matches. Dempsey's opponents and the places of holding the fights are to be decided later. One is to be a bout with Strangler Lewis, the wrestler.

If Wood's proportion materializes it will be the first time in the history of the boxing game that a heavyweight champion has been offered a contract calling for three bouts.

This will also establish a new world's record for purses as Dempsey will get \$333,333.33 for each bout according to the offer.

The highest purse ever paid a boxer so far is \$300,000,000 which Dempsey received in his fight against Georges Carpentier last year.

Harry Willis was considered at Jack's most logical contender for the title but hopes on him have faded away since that fiasco he had with Ted Jackson at New York recently.

It is also doubtful if Battling Siki will be one of the selected men to face the champion in view of his attitude towards managers and promoters lately which resulted in his being barred from taking part in boxing contests in France, England and Italy.

Floyd Johnson of California who recently stopped Bob Martin is a very promising youngster with all the makings of a champion.

However, he seems to be too young and inexperienced right now for Jack.

In another year he should be able to get a crack at Dempsey. But at present, there seems to be not a class heavyweight who can hold his own with the champion.

Carpentier And Siki To Fight In Aid Of Science

(Reuter's Service)
Paris, Dec. 10.—Georges Carpentier has telegraphed to the Matin accepting in principle the French business men's offer of 300,000 francs for a return fight with Battling Siki, all the money to be given to scientific laboratories.

Siki writes that he is willing to meet Carpentier for the sake of his honor and agrees to the business men's conditions.

(Later).—Siki has agreed to fight Carpentier provided that his boxing licence is restored and that the meeting is held within ten weeks.

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American School Five In Third Straight Win; Blues Troupes Stripes

BY TOMMY GRAFTON
Both the Blues and the American School were victorious in their games at the Rowing Club last night, in the Foreign Basketball Leagues. The schoolboys defeated the Whites in a one-sided 24-14 game, and the Blues came up from behind in the second half and trounced the tail-end Stripes by the score of 26 to 16.

Great shooting by the Squires brothers was responsible for the American School's third straight win. The Whites played a hard game on the floor, but couldn't locate the basket, and the schoolboys were shooting them in from almost every position on the floor. Hager and Smith guarded the Rowing Club forwards so close that the best they could do was a basket apiece. Kriesel, who replaced Barrett for the Blues in the second half, scored three goals.

The individual scoring follows:
American School Whites
"Dud" Squires 14 Barrett
Shipley 11 Kline
Roy Squires 6 Barnes
Hager 16 Schmidt
M. Smith 16 Smith
Kriesel 11 Kriesel
Heinzelring 11 Heinzelring
S. Phillips 11 Phillips
Goals from floor: "Dud" Squires 6, Roy Squires 5, Shipley 4.

MEDHURST WINS FROM ST. XAVIER'S BY SCORE OF 7-3

Winners One Up In First Half And Came Through With Rush

Medhurst College and the St. Xavier's Chinese team played on the Medhurst College ground yesterday. From the commencement of the game St. Xavier's set up a strong attack and the Medhurst backs had difficulty in keeping them in check. St. Xavier's efforts were soon rewarded when five minutes from the start they opened the scoring.

Medhurst, however, were not long in settling down to some solid team work and in the next 20 minutes they were constantly on the aggressive and Chou Sz-zang scored.

By clever combination the St. Xavier's forwards again attacked and scored, but they did not hold the lead for long. Loong-sing scored two of the best goals that have been seen on the ground this season, and gave Medhurst a 3-2 lead at half-time.

In the second half the standard of play was not as high as in the first part of the game, but Medhurst were always a little the better team. A penalty for "hands" brought St. Xavier's on level terms but Medhurst soon gained a substantial lead. Ing Loong-sing completed his hat-trick and Li Chien, Tsen Zau-vung and Zia Chien added further goals. The St. Xavier's team were not so badly beaten as

the score would suggest, their combination in the forward line being superior to that of their opponents.

Medhurst, however, has a better all-round eleven and if they would learn to pass along the ground instead of in the air, would make a strong combination. The whistle blew at the end of a good sporting game with the score, Medhurst College 7 Goals St. Xavier's Chinese XI 3.

Eight Games Carded In Football League Next Saturday

Eight games are scheduled in the Shanghai Football Association League on Saturday. Three games are scheduled in the First league, and five games will be played in the Second league. The schedule is as follows:

FIRST LEAGUE
S.R.C. vs. Police, S.R.C. ground.
St. F. Xavier's vs. Public School, Hongkew.
S.F.C. vs. M. Engineers, Police ground (in lieu of S.F.C. ground, which will be in use by the touring baseball players).

SECOND LEAGUE
Customs vs. Police 2nd, Hongkew.
Thomas Hamburg School vs. Rangers, Hongkew.
Club Lusitano vs. S.F.C. 2nd, Polo ground.
H. M. Navy vs. St. F. Xavier's 2nd, W. Mon. East.
Public School 2nd vs. S.R.C. 2nd, W. Mon. West (in lieu of further goals. The St. Xavier's League match will be played).

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JOURNALISTS WIN JAPANESE BALL TITLE

Celebrate Win In 22-Team League With Japanese Club Dinner

The Japanese Journalists' fast aggregation of ball-tossers won the pennant in the Japanese Baseball League at the close of the season on Saturday afternoon, and were appropriately honored by the other teams in the League at a celebration dinner in the Japanese Club on Saturday night.

The Japanese league brought out 22 teams through the season representing the prominent Japanese clubs and associations of the Settlement. A large number of the games during the season have been fast and close, and large numbers of new fans have been

enrolled in the ranks of baseball as a result of the play.
The Japanese League next Spring is expected to be one of the most active athletic organizations in the Settlement as it is understood that they have already begun negotiations for the purchase of a suitable diamond for their exclusive use. As Hongkew Park is not able to accommodate the number of games or practicing players that the League boasts. An all-Star Japanese team will also be chosen from the League next Spring to cross bats with the Shanghai ball-tossers and visiting teams.

Latest Association Rules Are Here
We have been asked to state that the Shanghai Football Association has had copies of the latest Rules of Association Football printed, and that it is expected that these will be availed before the end of this week.

S. AFRICAN CRICKET
(Reuter's Service)
Reno, Dec. 10.—An East Rand XI made 196 runs against the M.C.C. team in their first innings today. Mr. Sibley Snook made 7 runs. The M.C.C. had made 81 runs for 4 wickets when stumps were drawn.

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Shanghai May Go To Hongkong Next Year For Games

The Hon. Secretary of the Shanghai Football Association informs us that an invitation has been received from the Hongkong Football Association for a Shanghai team to proceed to Hongkong early next year to play Interport and other matches.

The matter has been placed in the hands of a sub-committee of the Shanghai Football Association, and it is hoped that information will soon be available as to whether it will be possible to accept the invitation.

Local fans interested in seeing the famous big leaguers in action have obtained permission to erect the stands to accommodate a big crowd for the exhibition game—for exhibition it will be as the big leaguers, compared to Shanghai are as wine unto water—and everything is reported to be all set for what will be a historic encounter.

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A baseball dinner and banquet will be held at the American Club, followed by a smoker, and all fans interested in getting close-ups of Herb Hunter, Bibb Falk, Walte Hoyt, "Glants" Meusel, George Kelly, Amos Strunk, and

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BIG LEAGUERS TO PLAY HERE NEXT FRIDAY IF POSSIBLE

Everything Depends Upon State Of Weather
TO 'EAT,' ANYWAY
Smoker And Games At American Club Plan

With His Honor, the Weather Man permitting, the sighting of big league baseball stars from the American and National League circuits, who have just completed a tour of Japan, will be seen in action against the Shanghai nine on Friday or Saturday.

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Davies Wins Tientsin 'Unt On The Gambler; Twenty Ponies In; Tismar Second

BY "DAYBREAK"

(The North China Star)
A field of twenty turned out a week last Sunday afternoon for the third hunt of the season at Tientsin held in the country south east of the Detring Villa. This is the largest field to turn out this year, and augurs well for the popularity of hunting during the rest of the season.

Mr. H. E. A. Davey, whose riding in the recent race meeting is considered by many to have placed him in the forefront of riders, mounted on The Gambler, came home an easy winner.

The hunt started a short distance from the mud road east of the Detring Villa, where probably a hundred foreign enthusiasts had gathered, some sitting inside cars to keep warm. Last week's winner, Major Arden, introduced a novelty at the start by laying three stiff jumps at intervals of about fifty yards, beginning a similar distance from the starting flag. Of the twenty ponies, three went over at the first trial, two at the next and the remainder after numerous attempts.

SOME BARGE OVER

Many eased themselves over while others barged through the mud bank. With a mass of sixteen or seventeen animals rearing and sliding about there was not much room for the few who came back and tried to take another run at the jump. This was all to the good from the view of spectators, but not much use from the sporting point of view. On our part we would much rather see the field get away to rattling good stampeed in a cloud of dust, without any troublesome jumps. It is no test in the main, because the ponies have no time to get their stride or get their jumping wits collected.

However, after the weird start, the field got away well into the country and the big gaps between leaders and tail-enders were gradually made up at the checks. The trail led away to the south and southeast, well beyond the hills near the Pukow branch railway line. After twenty minutes they appeared from the same direction, zig-zagging in a general line past the red-walled house straight towards the flags. About a mile away the field was an almost even procession of fifteen or more ponies.

DAVEY DRAWS AHEAD
When they had travelled half the distance, it was seen that Davey on the Gambler was drawing away. Both he and the second and third men were gradually increasing their lead from the rest. The finish turned out to be a tame affair. Davey entered home and dismounted. Stewart was held at the extra large jump near the flags and allowed Tismar to pass him into second place. Then Stewart put hiswarden over and trotted in third. The rest of the field came in at intervals, much longer than those which, some years ago, separated Brown's well-known coveys.

In a run of this length, seven miles there would, ordinarily, be about four checks, but there were only two, the distance from the last check to the flags being about four miles. In addition to this stiff continuous run, the course generally was gruelling on any but the best trained ponies, and had a great deal to do with the apparently poor showing.

The Gambler, which romped home, seems likely to bring home his rider ahead of the field in all subsequent hunts with any sort of a rider on board. As a cross country pony, in his present form, there is nothing else, apparent to, set out to challenge him.

WINNER SEVERAL TIMES
He is twice winner of the Race Club's Steeplechase event. He started in the first hunt of this season and would have won easily if his rider, Miss Bourne, had not been unfortunate in jumping of "paper." As it was, the pony had miles more to spare when he finished a prize, hazardous seven mile course. We would like to see the Master come out again on his fine hunter, Honor Bright, and make the hunt interesting with some better competition, for as it now stands real cross-country ponies are few and very far between.

A noticeable feature of Tientsin hunting is the absence of American riders. This does not fit in with the fact that there are in Tientsin many good riders from the land of rough riders and cowpunchers, whose horsemanship reached perhaps the highest development. Two and three years ago several young Americans, Joe Swan, Tim Riley, De-

way Smith and others, made a strong bid for hunting honors and were frequently on the card. There is room for representation of Americans in the hunts and we would like to see them out again.

CASH SWEEP HELD

In the Cash Sweep run in conjunction with yesterday's hunt, the winning pony was drawn by a group of three, Messrs. C. M. Watson, Major Arden and R. S. Davis. The total subscribed sweep was \$300, and the first prize was, after deducting a percentage for charity, approximately \$250. In future hunts, it is proposed to have two prizes, subscribed for at the post, and not at the Club.

The card, which is nine in a field of twenty, read:

- 1.—H. E. A. Davey on The Gambler, 135 lbs.
- 2.—R. M. Tismar on Dingdong, 145 lbs.
- 3.—D. J. Stewart on Fenwar, 150 lbs.
- 4.—L. C. Holden on Comanche, 147 lbs.
- 5.—J. E. Cooke on Grey Dawn, 158 lbs.
- 6.—F. L. Roberts on Amber, 148 lbs.
- 7.—A. Burgess on Griffin, 132 lbs.
- 8.—Capt. Hansen on Sanddune, 163 lbs.
- 9.—C. C. Todd on Raffrey, 152 lbs.

Other starters were:
J. S. Jones on The Gent, 145 lbs.
Mrs. S. E. Feeney on Irish Dawn, 120 lbs.
S. E. Feeney on Danler, 140 lbs.
A. E. Jones on Sandfly, 156 lbs.
A. G. Stewart on Cooma, 153 lbs.
G. E. Söderbom, on Pahlang, 160 lbs.
F. H. Whitmore on The Wayster, 107 lbs.
E. D. Nash on St. Peters, 175 lbs.
R. H. Eckford on Polo 190 lbs.
S. L. Briault on Griffin, 154 lbs.
O. Jorg on Via Mala, 144 lbs.

Nanking Beats
St. John's 1 To 0
In Big Upset

Nanking University's football team upset all the dope by defeating the St. John's varsity eleven yesterday afternoon by a score of 1 to 0. The result has aroused wide interest among the Chinese, as Nanking has been considered a second rate team and St. John's has been one of the strongest.

The game was scoreless during the interval, and kept on scoreless during the second half until the last few minutes when the Nanking forwards rushed to the St. John's goal with the ball and scored with a beautiful heading by the Nanking right-in. It was one of the East China Intercollegiate football championship series.

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British Football

(Reuter's Service)

London, Dec. 9.—Association Football: League First Division. Arsenal 1, Birmingham 0. Aston Villa 0, Sheffield United 1. Manchester City 2, Blackburn Rovers 1. Bolton Wanderers 3, West Bromwich Albion 0. Burnley 2, Middlesbrough 0. Stoke 3, Cardiff City 0. Huddersfield Town 3, Chelsea 0. Everton 1, Sunderland 1. Newcastle United 0, Liverpool 1. Notts Forest 0, Tottenham Hotspur 1. Oldham Athletic 2, Preston North End 1. Aberdeen 1, Clyde 0. Alloa 5, Kilmarnock 2. Celtic 1, Falkirk 1. Hibernians 2, Hamilton Academicals 0. Morton 3, Albion Rovers 0. Motherwell 4, Hearts 1. Raith Rovers 0, Ayr United 0. Rangers 4, Dundee 1. The match between the Ardronians and Third Lanark was postponed on account of fog. The Partick Thistle v. St. Mirren match was also postponed.

WIN BICYCLE RACE

(Reuter's Service)

New York, Dec. 10.—An Italian-American team consisting of Goulet and Belloni won a six-day bicycle race today at Madison Square Garden covering 3,457 miles in 152 hours.

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TY COBB NEARS .400 MARK FOR THIRD SEASON

Questioned Hit Separates
Detroit Manager From
Charmed Circle

One questioned hit separates Ty Cobb, manager of the Detroit Tigers, from the charmed circle of .400 hitters for 1922. It has been discovered in compilation of the official batting records of Irwin M. Howe, official statistician of the American League.

Without that hit Cobb's total is .398, but with it he enters the 400 ranks for the third time in his career as league batting leader for the last 15 years, with but three exceptions.

On May 15, in a game at New York between Detroit and the Yankees, Cobb was credited in the unofficial newspaper box scores with two hits and by the official scorer with only one safe smash.

Investigation of the discrepancy has been started and the controversy will be laid before President Ban Johnson of the American League. If the hit is won for Cobb, it will make him the only slugger in baseball history to pass the .400 mark three times.

George Sisler of St. Louis has two .400 marks, this year and 1920, both times the league high records.

Cobb's .420 in 1922 stands as

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the modern high mark. In the early days of the game, "Tip" O'Neill of the St. Louis club of the old American Association made .492 in 1887, the same year that "Pop" Anson of the Chicago Nationals made .421.

Cobb's .400 average this year. If he wins it, also stands as an answer to the query whether the Georgian is slowing up, after 15 years of dazzling speed in the major leagues.

Last year Hellmann of Detroit assumed leadership of the American League sluggers, beating Cobb's .382 by five points. Cobb's average fell off to .352 in 1920, his lowest with one exception in 15 years.

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Australia Looks Forward To Seeing Chinese Rugby Men Come From Hongkong

We did not know that Hongkong possessed a Chinese team of rugby footballers and that it is shortly to proceed on a tour to Australia, says the Hongkong Telegraph.

Yet that is the saddest story which has been told Australians, witness the following which is taken from the Auckland Herald of a recent date:

There is a prospect of a team of Chinese rugby footballers from Hongkong touring the Dominion next season. Efforts are now being made to arrange for the team to play a series of games in both New Zealand and Australia. The project is more or less "in the air" at present, but it is stated that an emissary from New Zealand is in Sydney negotiating with the New South Wales Rugby League authorities with the object of arranging the tour. As far as can be ascertained, no basis has been established for carrying out the tour in New Zealand, but if the negotiations with the New South Wales authorities are satisfactorily concluded, no doubt details of the scheme will be submitted to the New Zealand League for approval or otherwise.

Discussing the proposal, Mr. C. Ah Chee, who recently returned from a visit to China, stated that he understood arrangements for the tour were now being made. The team would play under League rules.

Asked to express an opinion as to the standard of football in China, Mr. Ah Chee said the teams he saw in Hongkong played a fast game, very similar, he thought, to that of

the Australian League players. The players were mostly students and young fellows engaged in office work, who were associated with the Y.M.C.A.

The rugby footballers of Hongkong, he added, already had demonstrated their prowess on foreign fields. One team had successfully toured California, and another had visited the Straits Settlement and played a series of matches. Both these teams had been so successful that the football authorities of Hongkong were anxious to match their champions against the players of the British Dominions, who were recognised as the best exponent of the rugby code. In the circumstances he did not think there would be much difficulty in arranging a tour.

The Chinese players would, Mr. Ah Chee thought, compare favorably with the New Zealand footballers in physique. Some of the backs he had seen playing were perhaps a shade on the light side, but they were fast and tricky, and had cultivated the passing game to a high standard.

Football in Hongkong, said Mr. Ah Chee, was purely an amateur basis and was played as a recreation, not as a business. The young men who played the game were of good standing and belonged to the advanced school of Chinese who had assimilated the most progressive ideas of Western civilisation.

In the event of the football tour being arranged, he said, the visit should prove highly educative to both the visitors and the people of the Dominion.

St. Paul's School, Anking, And Wm. Nast College In Tie

Anking, Anhui, Dec. 4.—On Saturday, Dec. 2, the St. Paul's School soccer team played a fast and exciting game with Wm. Nast College at Kiukiang, resulting in a one to one tie. The rivalry between the two schools has reached a high pitch, as of the three games played, each has won one, and each school has scored the same number of goals. Two years ago Anking won, 2-1. Last year at Anking William Nast won by the same score. Thus the teams were out for victory in the rubber game.

The William Nast team started a brilliant attack as the whistle blew, and clearly outplayed the Ankingites during the first half, only brilliant work on the part of Abel Wei, at goal for St. Paul's, saving a large score. Wei several times stopped what seemed sure shots, and managed to kick the ball out of danger only the smallest of margins. Just as the referee was about to blow the whistle for the end of the first half, one of the Anking players, in attempting to stop a shot for goal, kicked the ball behind his own goal line. The referee continued the time until the play could be completed, and on the corner kick-out the William Nast players succeeded in jamming the ball into the St. Paul's goal for their only score.

The Anking players came back at the beginning of the second half determined to win, and almost immediately carried the ball into Kiukiang territory by fast and clever team work. The William Nast fullbacks and goal from then on had their hands full, warding off the furious attack of the St. Paul's boys, whose play grew better as the game progressed. Finally about the middle of the second half St. Paul's scored. During the rest of the game the ball was continually in William Nast territory, and the final whistle blew just in time to save them from probable defeat.

The game was ably refereed by Mr. Reads of the Customs Service in Kiukiang. The play was fast and clean throughout, showing a high standard of teamwork on both sides. The individual stars were undoubtedly the two goal keepers, the William Nast goalie making some seemingly impossible stops toward the latter part of the game.

A large and enthusiastic crowd, several rows deep around the field, cheered impartially for both sides, and excellent sportsmanship was shown, by the William Nast students in applauding the St. Paul's play in the latter part of the game when it was clear that only time would save their team from defeat.

The St. Paul's line-up: Left

Wing, John Hu; Inside Left, Luke Den, Center, Andrew Lo; Inside Right, Capt. Abraham Wang; Right Wing, David Lin; Left Half, Andrew Yeh; Center Half, Thomas Lo; Right Half, Lincoln Chang; Left Full, Frank Yin; Right Full, Henry Chou; Goal, Abel Wei.

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The Colonels outplayed Harvard, outrushed her, out-smarted her and did everything but defeat her. Centre literally fumbled the victory into Harvard's lap, and, be it said for the Crimson, she was a great opportunist. Mistakes by Snowday and Covington appeared with startling regularity in the first half. Every time there was a loose ball a Harvard man was there to snatch it.

In this manner two of Harvard's three touchdowns came and the lone field goal kicked by Praftman from the 24-yard line late in the second period. The other Harvard touchdown was earned by dint of a braising march of sixty yards to sixty yards to the goal line.

Both of Centre's scores were earned, and when it was not scoring, it was pushing the Harvard line from one end of the field to the other.

The victory gave Harvard the edge in the now-terminated three-game series, the Crimson winning, 31 to 14, in 1920 and losing, 9 to 6, last year when 'Bo' McMillan and Red Roberts collaborated in bringing about Harvard's ruin. McMillan was conspicuously absent today and in his place was Herbert Covington, who was cast for both the role of hero and tramp. Covington's loose handling of the ball contributed to the Crimson victory, but he proved a great ground gainer and at times carried the Centre attack along almost single-handed. He was responsible for both Centre scores and also the longest run of the game when he ran one of Gehrke's punts back 41 yards, only to be tripped from behind by Greenbough, when footloose and a clear field before him.

The game was hardly begun when Snowday fumbled when attempting to turn right end. Harvard got its first lucky break when the ball rolled back to the four-yard line and a Crimson jersey recovered it. Before Centre could rally Owen rammed his way off right tackle for the score.

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The application was made by Mr. J. B. Teeddale on behalf of the Ho Tung Land Company, Ltd., a Chinese company with registered offices in Tientsin, and prayed an extension in respect to the delivery to the Registrar of Companies, Hongkong, of a copy of a mortgage dated March 27, 1922, charging certain Tientsin property of the company in favor of the Union Insurance Company of Canton in consideration of a loan of Tls. 100,000. The omission to register was cited as owing to accident and inadvertence.

Mr. H. P. Wilkinson, Crown Advocate, appeared on behalf of the Registrar of Companies and expressed the hope that one day a company would be fined in order to bring the lesson home. Mr. Teeddale read an affidavit by the manager of the applying company, Mr. Pottinger, stating that owing to the summer holidays, to forgetfulness on the part

of an employee and other reasons the registration had not been made. The Judge commented that it read like an affidavit of forgetfulness and in response to Mr. Teeddale's remark that there had been some pressure of business said that summer holidays hardly came under that head.

In granting an extension of 28 days, the Judge mentioned that he had received an application addressed to himself by a Tientsin law firm asking him kindly to grant the application. He hoped Mr. Teeddale would inform his client that this was not a casual matter, nor a simple one, but was a very important one.

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(Independent News Service)
Hankow, Dec. 8.—The six aeroplanes seized by American sailors of the U. S. S. Isabel last Sunday afternoon when the American steamer Teangah on which the planes and accessories were shipped to Hankow was stopped in mid-stream by the naval party are making an interesting case, Mr. James Slevin was held as responsible for the shipment and was arrested.

At the U. S. Consular Court, before Consul General P. S. Heinemann, Mr. Slevin was charged with violation of the proclamation of 1922 and with importing these aeroplanes which it is understood had been ordered by Chinese military for their own use. The prosecution stated that the planes were originally shipped from the United States, routed to Foochow, the shipment being made with a permit from the U. S. State Department which understood that the planes would be sent to Foochow consigned to a firm of motor bus proprietors to be used solely for commercial purposes.

SLEVIN IN CHARGE
Arriving in Hankow last Sunday, Mr. Slevin was discovered to be taking charge of the reshipped planes and was immediately arrested by the American authorities. The reasons why the American authorities decided to seize the consignment are twofold the prosecution stated. First, on account of the cargo having been diverted from its original destination to which the export permit had been given by the U. S. State Department, and second, owing to evidence having been received that the aeroplanes upon arrival in Hankow were to be turned over to the Chinese military.

At the Consular Court yesterday morning, Admiral Phelps, Commander of the Yangtze Patrol of the U. S. Navy, stated that while in Peking between November 12 and 19, Mr. Slevin visited the American Minister and applied for authority to change the destination of these aeroplanes from Foochow to Hankow. The Minister conversed with the Admiral who understood that the shipper of these aeroplanes had a permit from the U. S. State Department to import these aeroplanes to Foochow on the sole understanding that they would be used for civil aviation.

URGENT SEIZURE
When the aeroplanes were in Shanghai, the Admiral urged that they should be seized by the U. S. Marshal. He was informed by the Minister that the latter had written Slevin to the effect that should he discharge the aeroplane at any port other than that mentioned in the permit, he would lose the protection of the Legation. But the aeroplanes were shipped to Hankow. The Admiral at once ordered the captain of the Isabel to seize the planes, which were found to have been transhipped to native junks with the view of escaping discovery and customs examination.

Admiral Phelps stated that the authority under which the Navy acted is in the President's Proclamation of March 4, 1922, and also is granted under the International Arms Embargo agreement of May 5, 1919, in which the treaty powers have agreed effectively to restrain their subjects and citizens from importing into China munitions of war.

It was his judgment Admiral Phelps said, that the importation of these munitions of war into any Chinese port other than the port specifically stated in the original permit was illegal, and they then become subject to restraint by the American authorities. The taint of illegality is not removed because the Chinese government permits itself to be made a party to the violation of laws of the United States, he declared.

When the hearing was continued, the following day Mr. R. A. Frost, appeared for the defendant. He raised objections to some of the evidence which he said was mere hearsay.

Mr. Slevin, examined, said that the aeroplanes were brought to Hankow on the understanding that the nature of the business to be established here would be exactly the same as was proposed in Foochow, a commercial business to be slowly and economically developed. He had absolutely no knowledge that the aeroplanes would be used for war purposes, and the understanding was that they should not be sold, mortgaged, loaned or otherwise disposed of for other purposes.

POSITION ADVISORY

His position in the whole matter, was an advisory one, and the reason for his name go often appearing in the matter was because when there was anything to be done with English-speaking people, the Chinese party to whom the aeroplanes were consigned asked him to act for them. He had never been a principal in the case and had never had control.

He was really acting on a promise that if the thing developed the Davis Company would give

him a position in an advisory capacity in America, where from the knowledge he had obtained here by traveling from province to province, he could determine the most suitable type of machine and advise on other details as to a commercial service in the various provinces. The machines which had been seized were slow moving luggage-carrying machines and not at all suitable for war purposes.

Mr. Slevin said that he was in Peking again in November last, when he visited both the Hongkong and the Shanghai Bank and the International Banking Corporation. He, however, denied that he had endeavored to interest the latter bank to help him in his scheme. During this visit he again went to see the American Minister, when he asked him for authority for delivery of the aeroplanes in Hankow.

He said that he went to the Minister in order to explain and report on the change in the destination of the cargo. He did this on his own initiative because he felt that an explanation was needed. He admitted that he later received a letter from the Minister, advising him not to send the cargo to another destination than to Foochow; but by this time the Chinese permit had already been granted. He showed this letter to the Chinese who were buying the machines and advised them not to proceed further with the matter and to act in accordance with the letter. Mr. Slevin stated that a small part of the consignment did actually go to Foochow and was put on shore there under charge of the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank.

EXPLAINS VISIT

Asked by Admiral Phelps why he had visited the American Minister in Peking in September, Slevin said that he had done so because he wanted to know that the whole matter was clear with regard to the attitude of the state Department. He asked the American Minister to introduce him to the right Chinese department in order to secure a permit for the landing of his cargo. The Minister took him to the Ministry of War where a permit of some sort was granted. He stated that the American Minister had told him that it was not a matter of the Chinese applying for the permission but that the American Secretary of State had asked that the cargo should be admitted, he felt that it was his duty to do all possible to forward the matter.

In reply to further questions, Slevin stated that the arrangement for shipment from Shanghai to Hankow was made on instructions from the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank in Peking to Shanghai. Nothing was particularized that the aeroplanes must be sent on an American ship. He said that there was no difference made as to what nationality the ship should and they might just as well have been sent on a Japanese vessel.

Mr. Frost, in outlining the defense said that he wanted to get evidence from the Customs regarding the use by that institution of the word "contraband," in order to show that it had the meaning that cargo so marked required a permit for its carrying. He also wished to secure evidence from the Customs to show that the cargo might have come by any ship and not only on one of American nationality. He would also try to get evidence showing that the permit would have to be obtained from the Ministry of War and no other ministry owing to the very fact of the cargo being contraband.

New Zealand Wets Win By 16,138 Votes

(Reuter's Service)
Wellington, N. Z., Dec. 9.—A referendum on the question of the prohibition of liquor has resulted in a majority of 16,138 in favor of the present licensing system.

London, Dec. 9.—The Chancery Court has appointed a Receiver of China House, Knightsbridge, the premises occupied by Mr. E. A. Enever, who was charged at the Westminster Police Court on December 6 with conspiracy to defraud.

Mr. Enever is a director of a number of companies and is believed to have promoted some companies connected with the Far East. The names of the following companies, of which Mr. Enever is alleged to be the mainspring, appear on the brass plate at the entrance of China House: Sumatra Jultonic Rubber Estates, Shavegyn Rubber Plantations, Prudential Land Society, Anglo-Chinese Trust, Mercantile Co-operation, British East India Oil Company and Golconda Metal Company.

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China And Japan Sign Four Articles Of Postal Treaty

(Reuter's Pacific Service)
Peking, Dec. 10.—Four Sino-Japanese postal agreements relating to the exchange of mail, insured letters, parcel post and postal money orders, were signed yesterday evening in connection with the withdrawal of the Japanese Post Offices on January 1, 1923.

The Sino-Japanese postal agreements contain much uninteresting technical detail. They provide for the withdrawal of 65 post offices, 93 stamp selling shops and 148 postal pillars.

The agreements show that 57,000,000 mail matters were transported last year and 910,000 parcels while 90,000,000 yen were remitted by postal orders. The only disagreement related to the interpretation of the clause of the Washington resolution providing for the withdrawal "save or except in leased territories, or as otherwise specifically provided by treaty."

Both sides apparently agreed that this exempted Kwantung and Port Arthur.

The Chinese, however, objected when the Japanese contended that the Portsmouth Treaty gave exemption to the South Manchuria Railway zone but ultimately agreed to maintain the status quo of the railway zone in accordance with the Sino-Japanese Postal Agreement of 1910 pending final settlement between the Chinese and Japanese Governments.

Meanwhile the local authorities in South Manchuria will arrange a working agreement in view of the disruption caused by the withdrawal of the other Japanese post offices in China.

153 Canton Shops Destroyed By Fire

(China Press Service)
Canton, Dec. 10.—One hundred and fifty-three shops were destroyed and three lives lost in a fire, which broke out at the Kee Heung Store, in Teh Hing Street, at the Sak-kwan (West End), at 1 a.m. yesterday and lasted until this morning.

The losses are estimated at over \$1,000,000. Most of the shops destroyed were insured. A mother and two daughters were burnt to death.

London Laundryman Killed By Opium

(Reuter's Service)
London, Dec. 9.—The Court was filled with Chinese, including the Chinese Consul-General, at the inquest in Cardiff yesterday on Yee Sing, the proprietor of a Chinese laundry, who was found dead in bed with three English girls—sisters by his side.

The police stated that there was no trace of opium or other drugs found on the premises. One of the girls, giving evidence, said that she had had whisky in her tea and became dazed.

The verdict returned was death from heart disease accelerated by opium poisoning. The jury recommended the Coroner to communicate with the authorities to secure the police wider powers in the inspection of Chinese laundries.

Subsidy Bill Is O.K.'d By Senators

(Reuter's Service)
Washington, Dec. 9.—The Senate Commerce Committee has approved the Ship Subsidy Bill which was reported to the Senate after the elimination of the amendment requiring specific annual authorization by Congress for the extension of Government aid to shipping companies.



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GREAT BRITAIN SEES INEQUALITY IN NAVAL STATUS

Failure Of France To Sign Pact Causes Worry

(Reuter's Service)
London, Dec. 10.—Commenting on the naval situation the Sunday Times declares that the country is perturbed by the amazing sequel to the Washington Conference.

Britain, the United States and Japan signed and ratified the Treaty but France and Italy who signed it have not ratified it and possibly will never do so. Consequently the Treaty so far is null and void.

Britain regarded the Treaty as binding and now finds herself relatively weaker on sea than ever before. The lapse of the Treaty will find Britain, about equal to Japan in capital ships and decidedly inferior to the United States.

The paper urges the Government immediately to construct two new ships permitted by the Treaty and approved by Parliament, declaring that the Navy and the Mercantile Marine are the two things Britain cannot let down.

(Reuter's Service)
Washington, Dec. 9.—The Navy Department has announced a re-organisation of the fighting forces, under which the Atlantic and Pacific Fleets will be consolidated as the United States Fleet, under the supreme command of Admiral H. H. Jones, with Vice-Admiral Eberle commanding the battle fleet unit.

It is announced that this will not involve a change in the assignment of the ships or in personnel but that it will facilitate passing from peace to war conditions, thereby saving time at the beginning of a war, when time is vital.

Disarmament Plan In Brazil Halted

(Reuter's Service)
Washington, Dec. 10.—The apparent collapse of Brazil's move for a tripartite disarmament conference with Argentina and Chile has caused a sensation in the diplomatic circles at Washington. It is believed in some quarters that it may seriously handicap the general disarmament negotiations which are expected to take place in March at the meeting of the Pan-American Union at Santiago.

TO FLY OVER HUNGARY

(Reuter's Service)
Budapest, Dec. 10.—The negotiations between the Hungarian and British authorities with regard to a further link to the regular aircraft service from Britain to India via Brussels, Berlin, Budapest, Constantinople and Baghdad have terminated successfully.

DR. KOO RESIGNS

(China Press Service)
Peking, Dec. 10.—The resignation of Dr. Wellington Koo, ex-Minister of Foreign Affairs, from the Chairmanship of the Commission for preparation for the Special Tariff Conference to be held next year, has been accepted by President Li Yuan-hung.

A mandate has been issued appointing Dr. C. T. Wang, new Minister of Foreign Affairs, Chairman of the aforesaid Commission concurrently.

POLAND'S PRESIDENT

(Reuter's Service)
Warsaw, Dec. 10.—The Foreign Minister, M. Narutowicz, a distinguished engineer and formerly Minister of Public Works, has been elected president of the Polish Republic.

BRANTING TO GENEVA

(French Wireless through Reuter)
Paris, Dec. 9.—The Swedish Government, has appointed the Premier, M. Branting, to represent Sweden on the Council of the League of Nations.

PEACE PRIZE TO NANSEN

(Reuter's Service)
Christiania, Dec. 10.—Dr. Nansen has been awarded the Nobel Peace Prize.

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undergoing a thorough system of training to devise new games and pastimes for the boys under their direction.

Clemenceau Aids Fund For Students

(Reuter's Service)
Washington, Dec. 10.—In memory of his student days in America M. Clemenceau has devoted the proceeds of his lecture tour to the American Field Service Fund which was organized at the end of the war to send a number of American students to French Universities and an equal number of French students to American Universities.

Up to the present only \$500,000 has been subscribed out of the \$3,500,000 needed for the project.

PAN AMERICAN MEET

(French Wireless through Reuter)
Paris, Dec. 9.—The managing committee of the Pan-American Congress at a meeting at Washington today, presided over by Secretary of State Hughes, fixed the program for the 5th Congress, which will be held at Santiago de Chile next March.

COMMISSION PEEVED

(French Wireless through Reuter)
Paris, Dec. 9.—The Rhineland High Commission has decided to take steps against the Karlsruhe Tagblatt, a German newspaper, which is stated to have published insulting articles on the commission.

LIU CIVIL GOVERNOR

(Reuter's Service)
Peking, Dec. 7.—A message from Szechuen states that General Liu Cheng-kuun, Commander-in-Chief of the First and Third armies in the recent hostilities in Szechuen, has been elected civil Governor under the "Provisional Government" of that Province. General Liu's supporters in the local Assembly numbered 101 out of 116. He assumed office on Saturday last.

PRINTERS' STRIKE

(French Wireless through Reuter)
Paris, Dec. 9.—The negotiations with a view to ending the Swiss printers' strike have failed and a lock-out will be proclaimed on Monday in all printing establishments throughout Switzerland.

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Germany's Note On Reparations Note Accepted By Allies

(Reuter's Service)
London, Dec. 10.—Signor Mussolini, the Italian Premier, interviewed by Reuter's representative, stated that the Allies were united in rejecting the German reparations note.

Signor Mussolini said that the Note had made an entirely negative impression on the Conference. He mentioned that his own plan submitted to the Conference favored a reduction in the total of reparations, "if our debts were reduced."

He said that there was no question of repatriation of debts. His proposals for guarantees were solely economic and productive.

The Italian Prime Minister, in conclusion, stated that he was optimistic with regard to the outcome of the deliberations.

London, Dec. 10.—Reuter learns from a well-informed quarter that the main proposals of the German Note, which was presented to the Allied Prime Ministers this morning are as follows:

The German Government intends to carry out the proposals contained in its note to the Reparations Commission on November 14, firstly, by undertaking, if necessary, stabilisation of the mark forthwith, using Germany's own resources for that purpose, and,

Secondly by substituting for current liabilities under the Treaty of Versailles for the next few years internal and external loans, the proceeds of which will be paid over immediately to the Reparations Commission except a part of the internal loan which will be devoted to Germany's own needs, especially the stabilisation of the mark. It is suggested that the arrangement should cover at least two years but not more than five.

A Belgian source confirms the above. It says that the external loan will be 3,000,000,000 marks. The internal loan will be of no fixed amount and half of it up to 1,500,000,000 marks will be devoted to reparations and half to stabilisation of the mark.

Germany Replies To Passau Note

(Reuter's Service)
Paris, Dec. 10.—The German reply to the Allied Note on the incidents at Passau and Ingolstadt claims that the German Government alone is justified to present the apology demanded.

The reply states that it is impossible to dismiss the burgomasters but affirms the willingness of the Government to pay the million gold marks demanded.

'TIGER' AT PHILADELPHIA

(French Wireless through Reuter)
Paris, Dec. 10.—M. Clemenceau was received with enthusiasm when he spoke at Philadelphia.

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Bandits Seeking Revenge On Feng; Gen. Wu Explains

(China Press Service)
Kaifeng, Honan, Dec. 10.—That Gen. Feng Yu-hsiang, ex-Tuchun of Honan, who was recently superseded by Gen. Chang Fu-lai, Gen. Wu Pei-fu's right hand man, and given an Irish promotion to the Inspector-Generalship of National Troops at Peking, is responsible for the present bandit movement in Honan, is the accusation of Gen. Wu Pei-fu.

In an interview today, Gen. Wu, explaining the motives of the brigands in holding up foreigners in this province, stated that the majority of the marauders were remnants of the troops of Gen. Chao Chih, ex-Tuchun Chao T'ie-t'ing, and Gen. Pao Teh-chuan. While Gen. Wu was busy engaged in the North during and after the Fengtien-Chihli war, General Feng defeated in Honan, Gen. Chao's troops, which launched surprise attacks against the Chihli army in their attempt to control the Lung-Hai Railway. Following his victory, Gen. Wu pointed out, Gen. Feng committed a faux pas by executing Gen. Pao Teh-chuan summarily, which greatly enraged the latter's troops.

The troops turned bandits, partly because of their desire to revenge the wrong done to their leader and partly because Gen. Feng failed to deal adequately with the problem of military rehabilitation. The bandits now desired to be reorganised into troops and to this end they had captured the foreigners so as to handicap the provincial troops in their operations.

Gen. Wu Pei-fu added that as the provincial administration was in dire straits and the people were generally poverty-stricken it was impossible for him to consider the bandits' demand for re-organisation into troops.

"But I am confronted with a dilemma," he said. "If I should adopt a policy of pacification, the province could hardly be cleared of the bandits, while efforts to exterminate the brigands might endanger the foreign captives in their hands."

(Independent News Service)
Hankow, Dec. 7.—Chin Yun-ao's troops are pursuing the bandits

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whom they defeated west of Lushan, near Khabarovsk, and the outlaws are reported to be retreating in the direction of Lenshik. Quite a number have been disarmed, and their strong hold completely evacuated. It is presumed in Hankow that it was due to Chin Yun-ao's troops that Rev. C. O. Forsberg, of the Augustana Synod Mission, was set free.

The International Commission of Inquiry from Peking, according to the Chinese press, has communicated with General Wu Pei-fu in respect to investigating the Honan situation at Chengchow. A telegram was received this evening from the Commission at Peking to the effect that it will not proceed to Chengchow tonight as originally planned. The Hankow delegation planned to meet the International Commission at Chengchow tomorrow but has deferred its trip, pending further details from the Peking Commission.

Optimism Felt Now At Lausanne

(French Wireless through Reuter)
Paris, Dec. 9.—The Turkish delegation at Lausanne declares that it is by a mistake that the reservation with regard to the presence of the war fleet at Constantinople figures among the Turkish counter-proposals.

Paris, Dec. 9.—The Allied military and naval experts at Lausanne today continued the comparative examination of the Allied and Turkish plans. Optimism prevails with regard to the final outcome of the negotiations.

(French Wireless through Reuter)
Paris, Dec. 9.—The Angora Government denies the report that a military convention has been concluded between Russia and Turkey with the object of a Russian advance on Bessarabia and a Turkish advance on Macedonia.

NO MORE SMALLPOX

(Reuter's Service)
London, Dec. 9.—No fresh smallpox cases have been notified in London since November 24. The outbreak is abating.

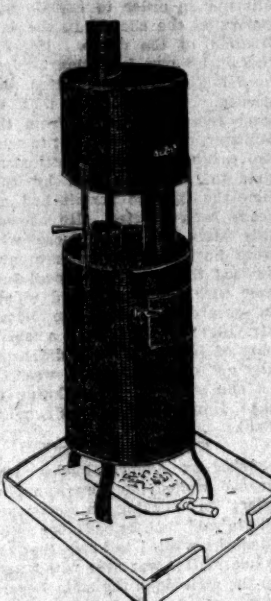
PASTEUR CENTENARY

(French Wireless through Reuter)
Paris, Dec. 9.—The University of Denmark celebrated the Pasteur Centenary today. Professors Bulmann, Johansen and Thomsen in speeches gave a resume of the work of Pasteur and showed its importance for medical and bacteriological science. They stated that Pasteur was one of the greatest benefactors of humanity and had increased the glory of France.

WOMEN FOR PEACE

(French Wireless through Reuter)
Paris, Dec. 10.—The International Women's Conference for World Peace at the Hague is composed of 112 organizations representing 20,000,000 members. It concluded its labors today with a resolution, proposing the convocation of a World Congress either by the League of Nations or by a group of States.

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Hongkong Dock	H. 185 B.
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Paul and Holts	\$5 B.
Lewellyn	\$45 1/2
Lane Crawford	Tls. 100 B.
Moutrie	\$45 B.
Watson	H. 18 1/2
Weeks	\$12 B.
Rubbers (local)	
Dima	Tls. 6 B.
Amherst	Tls. 0.85 B.
Anglo-Java	Tls. 6.10 B.
Anglo-Dutch	Tls. 3 B.
Ayer Tawah	Tls. 16 B.
Wata Anam 1918	Tls. 0.75
Bute	Tls. 0.55
Bukit Toh Alang	Tls. 2.85 B.
Chemor United	Tls. 0.75 B.
Chempedak	Tls. 4 B.
Hong	Tls. 1.30 B.
Unconsolidated	Tls. 1.34 B.
Dominion	Tls. 1.80 B.
Gula Kalumpung	Tls. 7 1/2
Java Consolidated	Tls. 10 1/2 B.
Kapayang	Tls. 6
Karan	Tls. 4 1/2 B.
Kedah	Tls. 0.85 B.
Kota Bahroe	Tls. 0.90 B.
Kroewoeck Java	Tls. 10 1/2 B.
Padang	Tls. 4 1/2 B.
Pengkalan Durian	Tls. 1 B.
Permatia	Tls. 1 1/2 B.
Ropah	Tls. 0.60 B.
Samarangas	Tls. 0.50 B.
Seekes	Tls. 0.50 B.
Senawang	Tls. 0.95 B.
Shai Klebang	Tls. 1.05 B.
Shai Malay	Tls. 0.47 1/2
Shai Malay pref.	Tls. 1
Shanghai Pahang	Tls. 8 1/2
Sungai Duri	Tls. 0.70 B.
Sua Manggis	Tls. 3 1/2 B.
Shai Seremban	Tls. 0.50 B.
Tapiing	Tls. 0.40 B.
Tanah Merah	Tls. 0.65 B.
Tebong	Tls. 1.12 1/2 B.
Ziangbes	Tls. 3.80 B.
Miscellaneous	
C. I. & E. Lumber	Tls. 325
Culty Dairy	Tls. 13 B.
Shanghai Trams	Tls. 125 B.
Shanghai Gas	Tls. 30 B.
Horse Bazaar	Tls. 50
Shai Mercury	Tls. 20 B.
Shai Telephone	Tls. 75 B.
Shai Waterworks	Tls. 155 B.

S. Sellers, Sa. Sales, B. Buyers

Stock Exchange

Transactions

Shanghai, December 11, 1922	OFFICIAL
S. M. C. 7% Debs. 1921	Tls. 106.00
Ewo Mills (Pref.)	Tls. 110.00
Shanghai Docks	Tls. 94.00 Dec.
Shanghai Lands	Tls. 101.00
Bukits Tls. 2.00	
Kedah Tls. 0.85	
Kota Bahroe Tls. 0.95, 1.00	
Pengkalan Tls. 1.00	
Senawangs Tls. 1.10	
Ziangbes Tls. 3.80	
UNOFFICIAL	
S. & H. Wharf	Tls. 190.00
Ewo Mills (Ord.)	Tls. 13.50 Mar.
Dominions Tls. 1.90	
Kota Bahroe Tls. 1.00	
Semambus Tls. 1.00	
Tebongs Tls. 1.12 1/2, 1.15	

Money Exchange

Shanghai, December 11, 1922	
Mexican Dollars	Market 72.75
Native Interest	06
Shanghai Gold Bars 978	
Touch	329 1/2
Copper Cash	239.000
Bar Silver	31 1/2
Bar London rate	
Paris on London	64.80
New York on London	457

Banks Opening Selling Rates

London	Telegraphic Transfer 3s. 1d.
New York	Telegraphic Transfer 3s. 1 1/2 d.
London	Telegraphic Transfer 70 1/2
Demand	70 1/2

OPENING RATES

Hongkong and Shanghai Bank

Opening quotations 9:30 a.m.

BANKS SELLING RATES

London (T.T.)	3 1/2
London (Demand)	3 1/4
London 4 m-s	3 1/4
India (T.T.)	23 1/4
France (T.T.)	95
America (T.T.)	70 1/2
Hongkong (T.T.)	75 1/2
Japan (T.T.)	88 1/2
Batavia (T.T.)	180 1/2
Straits (T.T.)	70 1/2

BANKS BUYING RATE

London 4 m-s Credits	3 1/2
London 4 m-s Debits	3 1/4
London 6 m-s Credits	3 1/2
London 6 m-s Debits	3 1/4
France 4 m-s	1045
America 4 m-s	74
Dos	74 1/2

Gold Dollars: Bank Buying Rates

@ 72 1/2 = Tls. 137.46	
@ exch. 73 = Mex. \$188.30	

Foreign Bank Buying Rate

@ 3s. 2 1/4 d. = Tls. 6.27	
@ exch. 73 = Mex. \$85.58	

CUSTOMS HOUSE EXCHANGE

RATES FOR DECEMBER

Hk. Tls. 5.61 @ 3s. 2 1/4 d. \$1	
" 1.25 @ 71 1/2 Gold \$1	
" 1 @ 1058 Fr. 11.79	
" 1 @ — Marks —	
" 1 @ 71 1/2 Yen 1.57	
" 1 @ 24 1/4	

Rupees 2.69

Roules —

1 @ 150 Mex. \$1.50

1 @ 15.85 Ital.

Lira 17.66

International Banking Corporation

CLOSING COUNTER RATES

Demand selling on America 72

Demand buying on America 72 1/2

Demand selling on London 3s. 1 1/2 d.

Demand buying on London 3s. 2 1/4 d.

GOLD BAR QUOTATIONS

Morning

329.60 open	330.20
329.40	330.50
329.10	330.10
329.40	330.40
329.70	330.10
329.70	329.70
329.90	330.00
329.60	329.70
329.70	330.00
329.70	329.60
329.40	329.90
329.60	329.70
329.70	329.70
329.90	329.90
330.20 closed	

ROUBLE EXCHANGE

BANK'S BUYING RATE

Roules 335,000	Tls. 100
Roules 100	Mex. \$0.04

SINO-ITALIAN BANK

BANK'S SELLING RATES

It. Lire 14.10 = 1 Tael

Swiss Frs. 3.76 = 1 Tael

Marks 4800 = 1 Tael

Equivalent Foreign Quotations

It. Lire 91.00 = 1 Pound Sterling

It. Lire 19.90 = 1 U. S. Dollar

It. Lire 140.75 = 100 Fr. Francs

LONDON-PARIS RATE

(French Wireless through Retur)

Paris, Dec. 9. — The Paris-London cross-rate: £1 — 64.67 Francs.

(French Wireless)

Bordeaux, Dec. 9. — Exchange:

London 64.67

New York 14.17

Germany 0.175

Belgium 220.00

Netherlands 564.50

Italy 70.70

Switzerland 266.50

French War Loans:

3 percent 59.90

5 percent 1915 76.00

4 percent 1918 63.20

5 percent 1920 87.70

6 percent 1920 89.00

Credit National 1919 494.00

Credit National 1920 494.00

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Exchange Fluctuations

Asia Banking Corporation

December 11, 1922

Spot and forward bar silver

were each up 1-16d. in London

on Saturday. The New York

price advanced to 64 1/2 cents

and the London-New York cross

rate to 457 1/4.

Our official rates here were

unchanged from Saturday and

the market in the early part of

the morning was inclined to be

firm but eased off considerably

during the day.

In the early part of the

morning some business in

Sterling was done as high as

3s. 1 1/4 d. for December de-

livery 3s. 1 1/2 d. for January and

3s. 1 1/4 d. for March.

Gold Dollars were done at

72 1/2 for near and forward

delivery and Yen at 67 1/2 for

December delivery.

There were, however, strong

buyers at these rates and the

market eased off during the

day, closing weak with no

sellers of Sterling at better than

3s. 1 1/4 d. December, 3s. 1 1/2 d.

January and 3s. 1 1/4 d. for

March delivery.

There were no sellers of Gold

Dollars at the close at better

than 71 1/2 for any delivery with

buyers at 71 1/2. There were

sellers of Yen at the close at

68 1/2 and buyers at 68 1/2.

In the afternoon Banks were

quoting 3s. 2 1/4 d. for Sterling

bills, 73 1/2 for Gold Dollar bills

and 1040 for Franc bills.

India bought a small amount

of silver in London on Saturday

and the market there is reported

as steady. New York also re-

ports their market as steady

with a fair amount of business

done at the official quotations.

Rubber Outputs

Oct. Nov.

Alma 26,100 18,500

Anglo-Dutch 53,000 27,000

Anglo-Java 108,000 139,100

Ayer Tawah 33,799 24,343

Batu Anam 23,188 21,183

Bukit Toh Tong 33,398 24,561

Bute 31,000 14,200

Chempedak 14,209 13,000

Chemor United 30,025 19,161

Cheng 13,900 12,400

Consolidated 58,044 38,852

Dominion 30,220 30,906

Gula Kalumpung 98,000 90,000

Java Consolidated 64,000 61,000

Kapayang 15,360 15,873

Karan 10,595 9,959

Kota Bahroe 29,017 29,371

Kroewoeck 52,000 49,000

Langkat 94,204 87,350

New Amherst 10,407 9,848

Padang 8,837

Permatia 19,500

Ropah 27,550

Samarang 15,542 9,394

Senawang 26,200 21,500

See Kee 13,122 9,052

Shanghai-Serem-

ban 12,000 13,470

Shanghai Kedah 22,438 21,524

Shanghai Kelan-

tan 20,300 15,300

Shanghai-Malay 29,673 21,253

Shanghai-Pahang 22,515 12,124

Shanghai-Klebang 10,900 6,100

Shanghai-Sumatra 51,925 54,220

Sua Manggis 15,500

Sungai Duri 32,721 22,955

Tapiing 9,050

Tebong 54,500 52,000

Tenah Merah 41,300 21,000

Ziangbes 52,200 43,200

*Due to heavy rain.

Hankow Market

The British Chamber of Com-

merce of Hankow write as follows

in their weekly circular dated

Hankow, November 29:

Bar silver dropped steadily all

the week from 32 1/4 d. ready 32

1/4 d. forward on 22nd, to 32

1/4 d. ready 31 1/4 d. forward on

25th, rose to 32 1/4 d. ready 32

1/4 d. forward on 27th, but dropped

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Special Notice to Mariners

No. 652.

China.
Yangtze River-Chinkiang District

Cooper Bank Crossing

Channel Light-beacon and Crossing Light-boat to be moved

NOTICE is hereby given that owing to changes in the Cooper Bank Crossing, Yangtze River, the following aids to navigation will be moved on or about the 16th December, 1922:

The Channel Light-beacon will be moved about 6.6 mile S. 79° E. from its present position, its characteristics remaining unchanged.

The Crossing Light-boat will be moved about 8 cables N. 51° W. from its present position, its characteristics remaining unchanged.

All bearings given are magnetic. T. J. Eldridge, Const. Inspector.

The MARITIME CUSTOMS Marine Department, Shanghai, 11th December, 1922. 54479 D 13

Isthmian Steamship Lines S.S. "STEEL MARINER" from Mobile and Galveston

This steamer is now discharging all her cargo (except Opium and Munitions of War) into the godowns of the Shanghai and Hongkong Wharf Company's Pootung Wharf. Consignees are requested to send in their bills of lading for counter-signature and take immediate delivery of their cargo. Consignees of bulk cargo are further requested to send their representative to the wharf to verify the weight of such cargo while it is being landed. All claims against this steamer must be sent in within 14 days from date of steamer's arrival, or they will not be recognised. Ship-damaged cargo will be examined at the wharf on Friday, December 15th, at 9.30 a.m. All risk of fire at the godowns and wharf to be borne by the consignees.

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54502 D 17

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54406 D 12

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54486 D 13

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54505 D 13

Notice of Removal

Kuo-Wen News Agency with Advertising Bureau have removed to their new offices at No. 163 Shantung Road. 54487 D 13

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By Order of the Directors, W. R. WALTER, Secretary. Shanghai, November 29th, 1922. T. F. 87

S.S. "West Kader" from Portland

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

Examination of broken and ship-damaged cargo will be held at Chang-Kah-Pang Wharf, on Tuesday, December 12th, 1922, at 9.30 a.m., when Messrs. Elster & Reeves, Marine Surveyors, will be in attendance.

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SHANGHAI, DEC. 12, 1922

WEATHER

Cloudy, but rather fine weather. Probably becoming variable to morrow afternoon. Regular monsoon along the China coast.

BIRTH

WHITE—On December 11th, 1922, at Dr. Fearn's Sanitarium, Shanghai to Mr. and Mrs. Aug. V. White, a son, Augustus Ronald.

54485 D 12

ENGAGEMENT

ENGAGEMENT: Of Miss Bertha Sternberg of Shanghai and Mr. E. R. Osborne of New Zealand, at December 7th, 1922.

54473 D 12

DEATH

DE RAGO: On Dec. 11, 1922, at No. 3, Elgin Road, Shanghai, Rosy Mary, the beloved wife of Mr. J. J. De Rago, aged 28 years. The corpse will leave the Church of the Sacred Heart, December 12, at 3.30 p.m. for interment at the Bubbling Well Cemetery. All friends are invited to attend.

54498 D 12

The Russian Refugees

"It is a condition which confronts us—not a theory."—GROVER CLEVELAND.

ANY discussion of the Russian refugees question immediately develops numerous ramifications from the central theme which, lost in differences of opinion over the political question involved, leads to the Land of Nowhere. Everyone, and particularly in Shanghai which has been the mecca of hundreds of these unfortunate people, has an idea of how the problem ought to be settled. Send all the refugees back to Russia, to work out their own salvation in their own land in their own way, says one; utilize the various charitable organizations and provide at least temporary relief with the general idea of having such people absorbed into various occupations in the course of time, says another, and so on.

At the present time, however, as the great Democratic President of the United States said in his annual message to Congress in 1897, it is a condition which confronts us, and not a theory. There is no time for theorizing. At Woosung, only a few miles from the gates of the International Settlement, are roughly 2,000 Russians, a large portion of them refugees from Vladivostok. From investigations conducted by THE CHINA PRESS it appears that the Russians on the ships at the river mouth can be divided into three classifications. A number are officers and men of the old Russian Navy; a number are officers and men of the "White Guard" forces and others connected with the fallen government, and their families, who, faced with the alternative of the Devil or the Deep Sea, chose the Deep Sea, and are refugees in the true sense of the word, and about 350 are orphan boys ranging in age from 9 to 15 years, the sons of Russians of

the old regime who have been left alone in the world through the misfortunes of war.

These orphans appear to be the first problem facing Shanghai. We have to come at it piecemeal. The officers and men manning the ships are apparently able to look after themselves and have expressed a desire to remain with their ships. The "White Guard" refugees desire to disembark here or anywhere they can make a living, and despite their apparent destitute condition they can, with a little assistance, take care of themselves. The orphan boys, however, are facing a future over which they have no control. They have been forced to leave Vladivostok through no action of their own, have no one to look after them individually or collectively and Admiral Stark, after having brought them this far does not see how he can continue feeding and transporting them with his meager stores. He desires that some means of caring for them be devised.

These homeless boys, even now, are not old enough to take any active part or interest in the political conditions in Russia today. They have been in no way responsible for any of the events of the sanguinary past. They have lost their fathers, and in most cases their mothers to the greed of the war god, either as direct victims, or as victims of the aftermath of disease, starvation and reprisal. They are the poor, defenseless victims of fate and fully deserving of the charity of generous Shanghai.

There is a condition confronting Shanghai that calls for immediate co-operative charity by organizations and individuals of the Settlement. By assisting the orphans the problem will, to a certain extent, be solved. It is in fact solving itself, for many of the Russians at Woosung have already come ashore whether it has pleased the Chinese authorities or not, and when the refugee fleet sails it will leave behind a large number of those who came to China on the vessels.

THE CHINA PRESS is ready to co-operate in every possible way with the American Woman's Club, the British Women's Association, the American Red Cross and other relief and public organizations toward the solution of the problem of the orphans. Whether it is possible for them to be landed—which would allow the ships to sail away and thus remove part of the problem—and have these organizations banded together care for them seems a question that could be decided if a meeting of the heads of all such organizations and the Consular Body were called and a relief organization formed. We think such a meeting would decide favorably to the children. Shanghai has a large heart and it should be easy to raise a fund to rent some adequate building, fit it with cots, bedding and cooking quarters and provide the orphans at least a temporary home. The boys, we are told, are all from one school, and have their teachers with them. Shanghai, we think, could take them on for awhile. Benefits could be given. The Shanghai Race Club, always generous in charity, has a reserve fund for such appeals.

It is sincerely to be hoped that someone will take the lead in calling a meeting at once. Some plan of assistance is possible and should be found immediately because the want is immediate. Who will take the lead?

Once Overs

By J. J. Mandy

If your father and mother are living, you are fortunate, and you will soon be thinking about what to get them for Christmas this year.

If you are like most sons and daughters you will think of something of an individual nature for Father and something in home furnishings for Mother.

But why not plan to give Mother something for her own personal use?

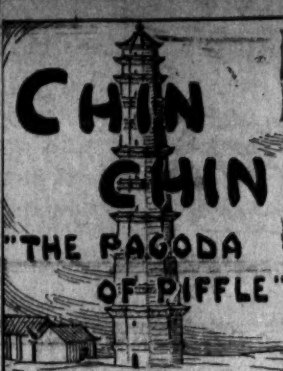
Give your Mother an "Individual" present, why not?

Of course the loves to have her home more comfortable and more beautiful all the time, but she would also love to have a gift which expresses individual thought for her.

Father does not get as many presents as Mother, but what he does get he does not have to divide with others.

Let your Mother, this year, enjoy a gift which expresses your thought for her and your remembrance of her particular taste and personality.

Let your Mother, this next Christmas, be surprised by the keen insight you possess of her rarely expressed likes and dislikes. Why not, not all the joy you can into your gift for Mother and Father?



The production of wine in France has jumped from 45,000,000 hectolitres to 48,000,000. They probably just got word that Moscow Minnie was in Shanghai now doing the Champagne Trot and the Eight Step.

And General Pershing says they need more tanks in the U. S. Army. Too bad America is dry. They may be able to recruit one or two in Shanghai, however.

Premier Branting of Sweden is to represent Sweden on the Council of the League of Nations. When he gets to the meeting he'll probably drop the 'b' like the rest of the boys.

PA JONGG SEZ:

"Man isn't musically inclined by a jugful but nevertheless his life is either a battle hymn, a love song, or a lullaby, according to the sound of the particular feminine voice he harkens too."

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Man wants but little here below:

The poet sang with fire:

There's one thing that we surely know,

That poet was some hat!

Miss Ina Hood Nanny sez she understands things are much cheaper after the Chinese New Year so she's going to wait until then to buy her Xmas presents.

XMAS CHEER

We're almost certain to get a box of cigars this Xmas, as per usual, and as we don't smoke the nifty weeds and they're almost certain to be the wrong brand for West, Jimmy Peden, Hank Devault, George Kautzler, Lee Solomon, Charlie Cox, Jolly Rodger, Rolly Haskell, Sid Moss and the rest of our puffing friends—a fine jury to try a cigar and find it guilty—they'll be a most appropriate gift. Cigars, especially those pronounced "seagars," are a favorite infliction on the mere males of the species at the exchange season, particularly by the ladies. God bless 'em. For their benefit we herewith give rules and procedure for buying cigars for Xmas presents:

1.—Always pick out a pretty box.

2.—Tell the salesman your husband's height, age, religious affiliation and favorite dessert to assist him in advising you.

3.—Pick cigars the color of his mustache. If a beaver get brand with spinach ends.

4.—Never mind the odor of the weed. You may improve on it when you get home by gently spraying with perfume or hair oil to suit taste and nose.

5.—As last resort have best friend ask husband kind he smokes and then buy different brand.

6.—Make sure he smokes one right after Xmas dinner and then ask him about them every day. Some bashful men are diffident about smoking gift cigs before donor but tell them maskee being a shrinking violet and see that they smoke every one.

7.—Never pay more than Mex. \$1 per box of 50.

A man in Oswego, New York, has just traded his wife for a Ford. We assume the other man got a rattling good wife out of it.

The lady's name was not mentioned but we take it for granted it was Elizabeth!

AUTO NOTE

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Tom Burgner's Christmas Vacation

BY WILFRED E. HUNTLEY (Age 15)

"No more Latin, no more French, no more sitting on a hard board bench. No more Spanish, no more Greek, no more sitting on a hard board seat. No more pencils, no more books, no more teacher's cross-eyed looks."

Eng Tom Burgner, as he ran down the street with his arms heaped with books, and his heart filled with joy.

"Well Tom," said Mrs. Burgner when her son came back from school, "what are you going to do during your Christmas vacation?"

"I haven't quite decided yet," he said as he laid his books on the table, "but first of all I must write a letter to Santa Claus and tell him just what I want for Christmas."

He picked up a pen and began writing his letter:

"Dear Santa Clause," it began, "Following are some of the things that I want for Christmas: a gun, a bicycle, a football, a stamp album."

His mother stopped him. "Santa Claus knows what you want," she said. "It is your business to see what other people want and need. Think of all the Chinese children; what will they have for Christmas? Most of them know nothing about Christmas."

Tom did not answer; he was thinking. Finally he lifted up his head, and, tearing up his paper said:

"Mother, you are right. I am going to spend this vacation preparing a happy Christmas for the little Chinese children out in the village."

Mrs. Burgner was pleased with her son's decision, and was anxious to see how it would work out.

"But what can I do?" asked Tom in distress. "I haven't enough money to buy them each a present."

"Never mind Tom," replied his mother confidently. "God will see to that if you really want to help the children."

Tom went to bed, happy with the thought of service, but still not knowing what he would do. He hardly slept that night; he lay awake thinking, planning and scheming, but not until daylight did he quite know what he was going to do. He got up early and ran down stairs and to two of his friends' houses. After settling with them, he came home and shouted:

"Mother! Mother! I have the idea now, but I need your help. He sat down in the kitchen while Mrs. Burgner was cooking the breakfast. "Alfred and William are going to help me too. I have fixed everything with them now. We will use the tree in the back yard for the Christmas tree, and all three of us will give away our old toys which we do not use any more. The part that we want you to do is to tell the story of Christmas to the Chinese children."

His plan was short and concise but Mrs. Burgner was pleased with it. She knew that he had been thinking and planning over it and of course she was glad to help him.

They went to the cupboard and turned out Tom's old toys which his mother had kept for fourteen long years.

"Tom," said Mrs. Burgner, "we have only four days in which to prepare this and so we have no time to waste. Run over to Alfred and William and tell them to come over tomorrow to help you trim the tree. Tell them to finish doing up their presents today."

"Alright Mother," agreed Tom as he picked up his cap and started for the door. "I will be back soon to help you do up the parcels."

Alfred and William were next door neighbors and they lived about a block from Tom's house. It did not take long for Tom to give them their directions and no he was soon back home, helping his mother to do up the parcels.

Time passed until the night before Christmas. The three boys had been working every day to make the Christmas a success and now that everything was prepared, they were ready to have a good night of rest. The tree was all decorated, the parcels ready to be put under the tree the next afternoon.

The boys went to bed that night tired but happy, as they had been every night during their vacation. They were all looking forward to the day ahead of them and the happiness which they were going to give to the poor little Chinese children, who had never heard of Christ or Christmas.

It was Christmas! Tom jumped out of bed and ran into the bedroom of his parents to wish them a merry, merry, Christmas. Tom had not stopped once all through his vacation to think of what he would like for Christmas until now. His parents took him down to the parlor to show him his presents: a gun, a bicycle, a football, a stamp album. Just the things which he was going to ask Santa Claus to bring to him.

"My son," said Mrs. Burgner, with her hand on Tom's shoulder, "You have been thinking of others instead of yourself, and it pays."

Li Sung

BY THEODORA PARKER (Age 15)

Li Sung, the old gate keeper, knew his own importance. He was the only one, not counting the foreign lady at the head of the little mission school, who knew anything at all about an American Christmas. The foreign lady herself ran to consult with him on all matters of importance. Why only that morning she had come to him in great anxiety, because the toys and candy for the children had not come. She had seemed to think it would be very bad for the children to be disappointed. Li Sung understood that. The foreign lady was always kind to children, and no doubt they would make a great noise with their crying, if there was no Christmas party.

He walked to the door and looked out. A storm seemed to be brewing. It was too bad about those toys. The coolies that were carrying them were probably at the next village, five miles away, resting and drinking tea. He wished there was some way to tell them to come immediately. Even morning would not be too late. But he was the only one with the power to command—the only one whom the coolies would obey. And he couldn't be expected to go. It was too cold. Perhaps the things would come any way. He hoped so. Of course he couldn't go. The idea was preposterous.

Just then the foreign lady opened the door of the school building and looked out. There was a little worried frown between her eyebrows. It was too bad to make the foreign lady so anxious. It was almost worse for her than for the children. Perhaps she had better go after all. He might be warm enough if he went on his extra coat, and walked fast.

But once outside of the school wall, he felt the real force of the cold wind. It was very hard to walk, and the air was full of fine snow flakes. Perhaps it would be better to turn back. But he had started, and he would not use it after a while. And the foreign lady mustn't be worried. He kept repeating that, over and over, till it became almost a chant. He was tired, and out of breath very soon, but it was too cold to rest. Even now his hands were blue. He wished the wind would die down a little. It pierced through his extra coat and chilled him. Perhaps he had better go back home, where it was warm—but no, the

foreign lady mustn't be worried. And the children would cry, if he went back home, and the toys didn't come. He didn't want that. He didn't want that at all. He must go on. If he could only rest, he would feel so much better—but it was too cold—it was far too cold. He stumbled and nearly fell. He had come such a little way, and there were so many cold miles ahead. There was another little village that was not far away. Perhaps if he could get to that, there would be some one to go on for him. He turned to the right, the path, and stumbled across the open fields. He fell very often. There were so many little hidden holes, so many little ridges that he could not see. He had not realized that the village was so far. But he plodded on. And then—quite suddenly, it seemed to him, he was at the first house, shaking the door and calling. There was smoke coming out of a little hole in the wall above the door, and smoke meant fire, and warmth, and comfort. The door opened, and in a strange, thin, high voice, he heard himself talking. He seemed to be saying a great many things over and over, and never getting anywhere—just babbling. But the man in the house understood.

"Yes, father," he said, "I will go to the village and send on the toys. Yes, I will tell them that Li Sung commands. It will go at once. But father, you must rest, and be warmed."

Rest—warmth—oh, how he wanted them! But the foreign lady—she must not be anxious. He must hurry back and tell her. Then he could rest.

"No, my son—go to the village—now—the toys—the foreign lady—I must go—I must go back."

So mumbling to himself, he tottered out again into the broad, white, pitiless expanse. The snow had thickened, it got into his eyes, so that he couldn't see. He closed them, and held his hands over his ears, to shut out the noise of the wind, and the hideous hushing sound of the snow, when the wind died down. He had liked it once—he wondered why it was so terrible to him now. On—and on—and on—he was so tired—he was so tired—and his feet were numb, and like blocks of wood. But they were not cold any more; the rest of him was cold, cruelly cold, but his feet were warm. That was strange. But was so hard to walk—and he was so tired. When he reached the road he thought it would be easier; but it was not easier—and he fell so often. The thorns on the bushes were so sharp, as they tore at his poor trembling hands. And then he sank to the ground, and knew he could go no farther. So he fell asleep there, quite happily, while the soft, feathery snow blew over him; to keep him warm.

It was there that they found him, the next morning, very near to the gates of the school. And that evening, because she knew he would have wished it, the foreign lady smiled through the great tears in her eyes.

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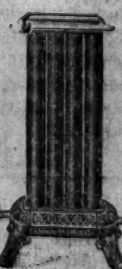
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Horizons On Other Worlds

BY GARRETT P. SERVISS
Eminent Astronomer and Authority
on Subjects of Scientific
Interest.

"I was very much interested in your article on 'Horizons,' and wish

you had gone a little further and stated something regarding the horizons upon such bodies as the sun, moon, etc. We had quite a discussion on this point at a small gathering, and would like to know

other things being equal with earthly conditions, what would be the human eyesweep if one stood on the shore of a solar or lunar sea.—F. A. S."

Well, let us pay a visit to the moon as it hangs in the chill autumn sky. Having precariously gotten rid of our earthly sensibility to cold, we shall not mind how low the temperature sinks among the lunar mountains and plains. Besides, we may find it warmer in the unclouded sunshine there than we expected, provided that we keep out of the shadows.

Or, perhaps better, we may in imagination, fill up the empty sea basins of the moon with salt water and give it an atmosphere, reproducing a state of things that may be pictured as existing ages ago, when a Tyre, or a Carthage, stood somewhere on the shore of Mare Imbrium, "the Rainy Sea," and white-winged ships carried the products of lunar mines, and the riches of fertile regions now lava-buried and smitten with everlasting death, to the wharves of wealthy merchants, whose gorgeously-clad daughters sometimes gazed up, through their silken curtains, draping windows that opened to the soft breezes of the great Mare, at the vast globe of the earth, hanging like a mighty moon in the sky, its broad face veiled with clouds of wondrous changing hues.

To justify this we shall have also to imagine the moon turning on its axis and enjoying a succession of short days and nights such as the earth now has, and for our purposes we can disregard the protest that such fantastic fancies have no scientific sanction and are contradicted by astronomy. They merely constitute a "working hypothesis" intended to make us comfortable during our visit to the lunar world. Grant us so much and the rest that we deal with shall be fact.

We stand them on the margin of the Mare Imbrium, with the hazy range of the Lunar Apennines towering close behind the shore, and we may figure a magnate of

the Lunar Carthage for companions. We look eastward across the sea and our terrestrially trained eyes are startled by the nearness of the horizon. From the sands of the beach our eye-level is about six feet. From an Atlantic beach we should see the sky meet the sea about three miles away—disregarding atmospheric refraction, which increases the distance. But from this lunar strand the horizon appears not much more than a mile and a half away.

The difference arises from the smaller diameter of the moon, whose radius is about 1,080 miles against nearly 4,000 for the earth. On the larger earth the surface drops, or rounds off, only eight inches in a mile, the amount of depression increasing with the square of the distance, so that in three miles it becomes nine times eight inches, or six feet.

But the moon rounds off about 2.44 feet in a mile, so that at a distance of only 1.56 mile, the amount of depression becomes six feet. As we stand gazing from the sands, our lunar Carthaginian friend points out a white speck resting on the blue horizon, and rubs his hands joyfully.

"One of my ships," he says, "laden with diamonds from Aristarchus, that wonderful island over in the Oceanus Procellarum." ("Ocean of Tempests").

"How high is that sail above water?" we ask, brooding our mathematical fancies.

"A hundred feet!"

"Let me see, let-me-see," we murmur, figuring. "Eye-height 6 feet, depression 2.44 feet to mile, therefore distance of horizon 1.56 mile. Sail's height 100 feet, therefore its distance beyond horizon 6.4 miles, which added to 1.56 gives 7.96 miles for distance of ship from shore. Why, on the earth its distance would be over 15 miles!"

The rich merchant only smiles and rubs his hands. "I'll take you up in my alrship to my place in the mountains," he says.

We find a magnificent villa a mile aloft in the Apennines. From this elevation on the earth we should see the horizon more than 90 miles away. Here it is only about 46 miles. The great merchant looks off, nevertheless, and counts the sails of twenty of his ships. And as he strains his eyes as if to see still more behind the horizon, with his telescope, we think how delighted he would be if the moon could only swell to the girth of the earth and so bring those hidden argosies inside the magic rim.

There is only room to remark that on the sun, the depression of the horizon would be only about one-fourteenth of an inch in a mile!

China, Joffe And Bolshevism

(Christian Science Monitor)

Two recent happenings in China have caused a little fluttering in Western dovetails. Is the great Oriental state looking rather too interested toward Bolshevism? The continued economic and political unsettlement there gives superficial color to such questioning, for it is in the uncertain soil of doubt as to the future that the Soviet seed sprouts most freely. Further, in the two events themselves it is easy to see other and more specific grounds for such fear as here and there has been voiced. None the less, let it be declared at once that if Bolshevism depends for ultimate success upon Chinese support, its unlamented demise may as well be announced today.

Item number one of those just referred to has received almost a "round-the-world publicity. When, not long ago, General Chen marched against Canton and Sun Yat-sen so hurriedly fled that the southern capital, the latter's private papers were seized and examined. Among them were found certain letters—at once published in the Hongkong Telegraph—which bore upon the hitherto unexplained project of a triple alliance between China, Germany and Soviet Russia, and while nothing indicated that more than the "conventional" stage had been reached, yet the indubitable connection with the scheme of such a man as Admiral von Hintze gave it a serious look. Dr. Sun now fully admits the genuineness of the documents, but affirms they show no more than that he has sought to do business with peoples that would treat with China on a basis of entire equality.

As to the news ledger's second entry, A. A. Joffe, of Brest-Litovsk fame (or is it rather less than that), the man who turned into failure whatever of promise Changchun held, has arrived at Peking with a numerous delegation, ostensibly seeking a trade agreement between his country and China as well as some understanding as to the status of Mongolia. That this energetic and daring Muscovite may really be after these things and no more is, of course, possible—yet one wonders! Generously supplied with funds, he has set in motion the customary Soviet propaganda in the local press, blitting on "fundamental friendship" and making as much as possible of trust of militaristic Japan.

Whatever else Joffe is or is not, he is undeniably a dangerously clever propagandist. Where he cannot awaken enthusiasm for the Bolshevik idea he seeks to begot discontent with existing conditions, and there is no small opportunity for that in China today, where labor troubles are numerous.

All of this is bad. In so uneasy a situation anything of such kind is the worst possible development. But admitting this is not the same thing as saying that Bolshevism is a growing menace in the Yellow Republic. "Many men, many minds," and when the first "many" count up to something above 400,000,000, the second "many" willing to experiment with industrial panaceas, are not going to be hard to find. However, those who best know the Chinese and understand most thoroughly their traits are as positive as they are unanimous that the masses cannot be reached, nor the really big men; the two ends of the line are held immune from the communistic virus. Between them comes a middle-class and student element, which is recognized as more open to such preaching. Here harm may be done, but anything like a nationwide movement would appear to be impossible.

In one of the last articles to come from the completely informed pen of Wu Ting-fang, occur these sentences:

Communism is totally contrary to our social system, which for centuries has recognized the inherent rights of private ownership, and under which social justice has so long prevailed. There need be no fear of China going Bolshevik.

To which not less than authoritative opinion may be added the comment of a member of the Chinese delegation to the Arms Conference at Washington, last spring. Talking to this text in the library of the Cosmos Club, he said to some American friends: "We are not likely to trifle with Bolshevism. You must remember we tried it in the eighth century, and again in the eleventh. Both times it failed. We will not waste any more attention upon it."

Bobbie And His Pa

BY WILLIAM F. KIRK

Of what are you thinking of, sed Ma to Pa last nite wen Pa wasent saying anything. Nothing, much, sed Pa. I was thinking I wud rite a essay on Marriage, Pa sed. You are vary well qualified, sed Ma. I will tell the United States I am well qualified, sed Pa. I was thinking of calling this essay 18 Marriage a Joak. You were, you, sed Ma. I was, sed Pa. & do you think it is a Joak, sed ja. She was looking pritty hard at Pa. Well, sed Pa, Ycs & No, sed Pa.

Is yure own Marriage a Joak, sed Ma. Think well befoor you anser, sed Ma.

I shud say not, sed Pa. But our Marriage is a Excepshun, sed Pa. Most Marriages is Joaks nowdays.

If thay are, sed Ma, It is becaus moast husbands are Joaks. That dosent follow, sed Pa. I know lots of reely fine husbands, wich is unhappy in thare hoams, sed Pa.

They may seem reely fine to you, but I wud like to git thare wifes opinyun, sed Ma. I think Marriages wud be moar happier if moar men was moar kinder to thare wifes, sed Ma.

Well, sed Pa, we will not argev that point. All I claim is that the averidge Marriage nowdays is a frost, sed Pa.

That is not true, sed Ma. I can think of many, many happy Marriages, sed Ma.

Then you have got me cheeted sed Pa. I can't think of many. How about ours, sed Ma.

What did you sed, dear, sed Pa. How about ours, sed Ma.

Well, sed Pa, I will stand ware I can look you in yure two (12) eyes, sed Pa, & ask you How about it.

Are we not happy, sed Ma. If you say we are not happy, sed Ma, I can always go back to dear old mother.

Ha Ha, sed Pa. You have been springing that for 30 years, neerly, sed Pa. I cudent lose you, sed Pa.

You two (2) peepul cut out this line of talk, I sed. You both know yure Marriage is nappy, I sed. How cud it be unhappy I sed, wen you both have got me, I sed. Answer that, I sed.

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TO THE UNITED STATES			
DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT
Dec. 17	10 a.m.	P. Jackson	Seattle
Dec. 21		Tonyo Maru	S. Francisco
Dec. 25		E. of Australia	Germany
TO STRAITS, INDIA & EUROPE VIA SUEZ			
DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT
Dec. 15	3 p.m.	Kitano M.	London
Dec. 16	4 p.m.	Sicilia	via Bombay
Dec. 23		Kashgar	London
TO NORTHERN PORTS			
DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	
Today	5 p.m.	via P'ow & H'bin	
Today	1.30 p.m.	Tungchow	
Dec. 13	4 p.m.	Sakaki Maru	
Dec. 13	9 p.m.	Ningpo	
TO SOUTHERN PORTS			
DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	
Today	4 p.m.	Hankow	
Today	3.30 p.m.	E. of Australia	
Today	9 p.m.	Lingchow	
Today	8.30 a.m.	Shunko Maru	
Today	3.30 p.m.	Alabama Maru	
Today	9 p.m.	Kwangtsh	
Dec. 13	9 p.m.	Soochow	
Dec. 16	7.30 a.m.	Szechuen	
Dec. 17	8.30 a.m.	Chihli	
MISCELLANEOUS PORTS			
DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	
Today	9 p.m.	via Train	
Today	7 p.m.	Yawata Maru	
Today	10.30 a.m.	Kamo Maru	
Dec. 15	5 p.m.	E. of Asia	
Dec. 15	7 p.m.	Nikko Maru	
Dec. 17	10 a.m.	P. Jefferson	

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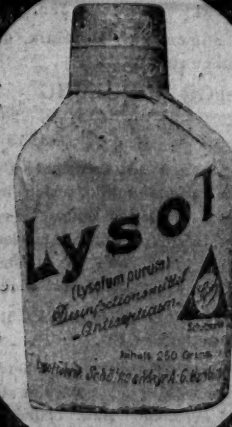
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HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. KUTWO, 2,664 Tons, Captain Bishop, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Thursday, December 14, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone: Central 241. Extensions to Freight and Passenger Departments.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. TUCKWO, 3,770 Tons, Captain Campbell, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Friday, December 15, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone: Central 241. Extensions to Freight and Passenger Departments.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. SUIWO, 2,671 Tons, Captain Jackson, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Monday, December 18, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone: Central 241. Extensions to Freight and Passenger Departments.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. LOONGWO, 3,925 Tons, Captain Smith, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Tuesday, December 19, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone: Central 241. Extensions to Freight and Passenger Departments.

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For Southern Ports

NINGPO.—The str. LIANG-TEEN, Captain Johannsen, will leave on Tuesday, December 12, at 4:30 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

WENCHOW.—The str. FEI-CHING, Capt. Manley, will leave on Tuesday morning, December 12, for Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

HONGKONG & CANTON.—The str. KWANGTAH, Capt. McLean, will leave on Wednesday morning, December 13, for Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

SWATOW.—The str. HSIN-KONG, Capt. Smith, will leave on Wednesday morning, December 13, for Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

HONGKONG.—The Canadian Pacific Steamships, Ltd., S.S. EMPRESS OF AUSTRALIA will leave Woosung on Tuesday, Dec. 12. The tender Alexandra will leave the Customs Jetty for Woosung with Passengers at 5 p.m. on Tuesday. For Passage, apply to A. H. TESSIER, Palace Hotel Building, 19A Bund, Phone C. 182. For Freight, apply to N. LEES SMITH, corner of Peking and Yuen Ming Yuen Roads, Phone C. 181.

For Northern Ports

CHINWANGTAO DIRECT.—The Kailan Mining Administration will despatch the KIANG-PING, on December 13, 1922. For Freight apply to Agent 1, Jinhua Road, Tel. Central 317.

VLADIVOSTOK.—The Mail Steamer MYLIE will be despatched from Shanghai on Saturday, December 16. The tender conveying mail and passengers will leave the French Mail Jetty on sailing date at 10 a.m. For Freight or Passage apply to L. Y. LANG, No. 5 French Bund, Tel. No. Central 5059.

For Foreign Ports

MARSEILLES, LONDON, HAMBURG, ROTTERDAM & ANTWERP.—The O.S.K.'s Cargo steamer SHUNKO MARU, 12,000 tons, Captain S. Nisano, will be despatched from the O.S.K. Buoy on Tuesday, Dec. 12, at 10 p.m. For Freight, apply to THE OSAKA SHOSHEN KAISHA, No. 2, Canton Road, Phone C. 4234.

NEW YORK via PANAMA.—The O.S.K.'s Cargo steamer HAMBURG MARU, 15,000 tons, Captain J. Nishida, will be despatched from O. S. K. Buoy on Sunday, December 17. For Freight, apply to THE OSAKA SHOSHEN KAISHA, No. 2, Canton Road, Phone C. 4234.

Shipping Items

YANGTZE PORTS

The C.M. s.s. Kiangshin left Hankow on Saturday and is due in Shanghai this morning.

The I.C. s.s. Kiuwo left Hankow on Sunday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow morning.

The C.N. s.s. Ngankin left Hankow on Sunday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow morning.

The O.M. s.s. Kiangwah left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Thursday.

The I.C. s.s. Tuckwo left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Thursday.

The C.N. s.s. Shengking left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Thursday.

The C.N. s.s. Whangtu left Hankow today and is due in Shanghai on Friday.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangyung will leave Hankow today and is due in Shanghai on Friday.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangshun will leave Hankow tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Saturday.

The I.C. s.s. Suiwo will leave Hankow tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Saturday.

The C.N. s.s. Tatung will leave Hankow tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Saturday.

SOUTHERN PORTS

The C.M. s.s. Hanchi left Foochow on Sunday and is due in Shanghai today.

The C.N. s.s. Shikiang left Hongkong on Saturday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The I.C. s.s. Yatahing is due in Shanghai from Canton, Hongkong and Swatow today.

The I.C. s.s. Fooching is due in Shanghai from Swatow tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Yingchow will leave Hongkong today and is due in Shanghai on Saturday.

The C.M. s.s. Hsinwah, from Swatow and Amoy, will leave Foochow today and is due in Shanghai on Thursday.

The C.M. s.s. Irene left Swatow for Amoy and Shanghai on Sunday.

NORTHERN PORTS

The C.M. s.s. Taishun left Tientsin for Hongkong and Canton on Wednesday morning.

The C.N. s.s. Szechuen will leave Tsingtao today and is due in Shanghai on Thursday.

The C.M. s.s. Kaho left Dairen on Saturday and is due in Shanghai today.

The C.M. s.s. Hainming, from Tientsin, left Chefoo on Sunday and is due in Shanghai today.

The C.M. s.s. Toonan left Chefoo for Dairen on Sunday.

The D.K.K. s.s. Sakaki Maru is due in Shanghai from Dairen and Tsingtao tomorrow morning and will dock at the Whangpoo Wharf.

The steamer will sail for Tsingtao and Dairen at 7:30 o'clock Thursday morning, and the tender with outgoing passengers will leave the Customs Jetty at 9 o'clock tomorrow night.

JAPAN PORTS

The N.Y.K. s.s. Nikko Maru left Moji for Shanghai yesterday and is to dock at the N. Y. K. Wharf tomorrow.

INDIAN LINES

The B.I. s.s. Tunda left Calcutta on Wednesday, November 29, and is due in Shanghai via Colombo, Singapore and Hongkong about December 24.

The P. & O. s.s. Sicilia, from Bombay on November 19, left Hongkong at 7 o'clock Sunday morning and is due in Shanghai tomorrow afternoon. The vessel will dock at the Shanghai and Hongkong Wharf Company's Pootung Wharf.

EUROPEAN LINES

The M.M. s.s. Amboise left Marseilles on Friday, November 24, and is due in Shanghai on January 2.

The P. & O. s.s. Nellora left London at 2 p.m. on November 23 and arrives in Shanghai about January 4.

The Glen Line m.v. Glenbeg is due to arrive in Shanghai from London and Genoa about December 19.

The S.E. s.s. Nippon left Gothenburg on November 7 and is

due to arrive in Shanghai about December 23.

The Norwegian, Africa and Australia Line m.s. Teneriffa, from Christiania and ports, left Antwerp on December 2 and is due to arrive in Shanghai about January 15.

The Ben Line s.s. Bendoran, from London, left Singapore on November 29 and is expected to arrive in Shanghai about December 30.

The P. & O. s.s. Plassy arrived in Shanghai from London early Saturday morning and is docked at the Shanghai and Hongkong Wharf. The vessel will sail for Japan ports tomorrow morning.

The O.S.K. s.s. Shunko Maru arrived in Shanghai from Dairen on Sunday and is docked at the Yangtsepo Wharf. The vessel will sail for Hamburg and ports today.

The L.T. s.s. Nippon is due in Shanghai from Trieste and ports tomorrow.

The P. & O. s.s. Sardinia, from London on November 9 with mail, is expected to leave Singapore next Thursday and is due in Shanghai via Hongkong about December 24.

The M.M. s.s. Andre Lebon, with the French mail of November 10, will arrive at Hongkong at 6 o'clock this morning and is expected in Shanghai on Friday.

AMERICAN LINES

The China Mail s.s. Nanking left San Francisco on Thursday, November 30, and is due in Shanghai via Honolulu and Japan ports on December 25.

The Dollar s.s. Stuart Dollar was expected to leave Puget Sound for Oriental ports on Sunday.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Grant was due to leave Seattle on Saturday and arrives in Shanghai via Yokohama and Kobe on December 26.

The P.M. s.s. President Lincoln, from San Francisco on November 30, was due to leave Honolulu on Wednesday and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via Yokohama and Kobe on December 20.

The Dollar s.s. M. S. Dollar is due to arrive in New York about the middle of December.

The Dollar s.s. Robert Dollar left New York on November 13.

The C.P.S. s.s. Empress of Asia, which sailed from Vancouver on November 30, is due at Yokohama this morning and arrives in Shanghai on December 16.

The P.M. s.s. President Cleveland, Mr. Allen Jr.

land will leave San Francisco next Thursday and is due in Shanghai via Honolulu, Yokohama and Kobe on January 3.

The C.P.S. s.s. Empress of Canada will leave Vancouver next Thursday and is due in Shanghai via Yokohama and Kobe on December 30.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Jefferson from Seattle on November 29, was due at Yokohama yesterday and arrives in Shanghai next Saturday.

The O.S.K. s.s. Hamburg Maru, from Singapore, will leave Hongkong today and is due in Shanghai on Saturday. The vessel is to sail for New York via Panama on Sunday afternoon.

The Dollar s.s. Esther Dollar is expected to leave New York for the Orient on December 20.

The Isthmian Steamship Lines s.s. Surf Mariner arrived in Shanghai from Mobile, Galveston and Japan ports yesterday.

The O.S.K. s.s. Alabama Maru arrived in Shanghai from America yesterday and is docked at the Yangtsepo Wharf. The steamer will leave for Hongkong today.

The C.P.S. s.s. Empress of Australia has been slightly delayed and is now due at Woosung at 5 o'clock this morning. The tender with incoming passengers is expected at the Customs Jetty about 9:30 o'clock. The Australia will sail for Hongkong direct at 1 o'clock tomorrow morning, and the tender with outgoing passengers and baggage will leave the Jetty at 5 o'clock this evening.

Weather Report

Dec. 11.—High pressures all over China. A small depression is passing NE ward between Nippon and the Bonin. Regular monsoon along the China coast. Fine weather at most places in China. Misty at Chefoo. Overcast skies in the Philippines.

Dec. 12.—Rather cold and fine weather getting cloudy. Heavy hoar frost. The glass is shifting rising. Northerly breezes.

Passengers Departed

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E/Australia	Dec. 25—Jan. 8	E/Australia	May 7—May 21
E/Asia	Jan. 27—Feb. 12	E/Asia	May 19—June 4
E/Canada	Feb. 12—Feb. 26	E/Canada	June 4—June 19
E/Russia	Feb. 24—Mar. 12	E/Russia	June 16—July 2
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Shidzuoka Maru	Dec. 24
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Yawata Maru	Dec. 13	Tamba Maru	Dec. 19
Nikko Maru	Dec. 16	Hakui Maru	Dec. 20
Yamashiro Maru	Dec. 17		

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Yokohama Maru	Jan. 3
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President McKinley	Dec. 3
Hawaii Maru	Dec. 6

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Easton Sallor	Dec. 3
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FOR RUZKA

Talbot	Nov. 14
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FOR PORT TOWNSEND

Atlanta City	Nov. 13
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FOR NEW YORK

Kendal Castle	Nov. 14
Hanover	Nov. 11
Amur Maru	Nov. 11
Gaelic Prince	Nov. 21
City of Canton	Nov. 21
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FOR PORT TOWNSEND	
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Doricstar	Nov. 16
Mishima Maru	Nov. 18
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Yangtze	Nov. 19
Demodocus	Nov. 27
Tatsuno Maru	Dec. 7

FOR ROTTERDAM

Knight of the Garter	Nov. 20
Philoctetes	Nov. 23
Oudekerk	Dec. 7

FOR HAMBURG

Amazon Maru	Nov. 19
Muensterland	Nov. 20
Glenarry	Nov. 26
Lisbon Maru	Dec. 3

FOR MARSEILLES

Portos	Nov. 11
Armand Behie	Nov. 25

FOR TELESSE

Venezia	Nov. 21
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FOR BOMBAY

Soudan	Nov. 19
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Information For Mariners

TUESDAY, DEC. 12, 1922

(The day tides are higher than the night tides, they are nearly equal at about 4 and 5 o'clock).

Approximate rise, at spring 4 1/2 h; at neaps, 5 h.

fall, at spring 8 1/2 h; at neaps, 7 1/2 h.

Time	Range	Time	Range
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5h. 35m. 5ft. 9in. 6h. 15m. 5ft. 10in.

High Water at Tungsha Lightship

(The day tides are higher than the night tides).

Approximate rise, 5 1/2 h; approximate fall, 7 h.

A.M.	H.	M.	P.M.
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Time of Moonrise, Moonset, Sunrise, Sunset

Moon	Sun	Daylight	Dark
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Rises Sets Rises Sets

0.26 p.m. 6h. 49m. 4h. 57m. 6h. 4m. 5h. 42m.

Mean Barometric Pressure at Shanghai,

For December 30.28 in.

769.0 mm.

Meteorological Reports

SIOWAWEI

December 10, 1922. 16.00 11.00 4.00 9.00

Sun rises today at 6.48 (120 ECG) Dec. 8.

Sun sets today at 16.58 (120 ECG) Dec. 9.

(Inches) 30.28 30.31 30.32 30.05

Barometer (variation for 24 hrs. at 82° F. (variation for 12 hrs. -0.01 -0.02 +0.02 -0.01

Wind-direction NW NNW W W

Wind-miles per hour 18.7 7.5 11.8 5.0

Temperature (Fahr.) 50.2 35.1 29.8 44.1

Humidity % 35 80 90 60

Nebulosity (0 to 10) 0 0 0 0

Barometer (mean 4 obs.)

December 8. 24 hrs. Previous average

SIOWAWEI ABRIDGED REPORT

Total rainfall, since Jan. 1 to midnight before last (inches) 30.31 -0.04 30.28

Temperature (Min. 27° F.) 41° 3 +3° 7 45° 8

(Fahr.) (Max. 54° 8)

Rainfall (inches) 42.49 0.00 44.54

Vessels Due

A. Lebon, Marseilles Dec. 15

Chobei Maru, Dairen Dec. 16

E. of Australia Vancouver Dec. 12

E. of Asia, Vancouver Dec. 16

Foehling, Swatow Dec. 23

Hamburg Maru, Singapore Dec. 16

Hakui Maru, Japan Dec. 17

Hainchi, Foochow Dec. 12

Hsin Ningshao, Ningpo Dec. 13

Hsin Peking, Ningpo Dec. 13

Hsinming, Tientsin Dec. 12

Hsinwah, Foochow Dec. 14

Irene, Swatow Dec. 14

Kaho, Dairen Dec. 12

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Future Sailings

FOR AMERICA AND CANADA

Dec. 13	Vancouver	Can. Winner	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 15	New York	Cochett	Am. Adl. O. Line
Dec. 17	New York via Suez	Hamburg Maru	Jan. O.S.K.
Dec. 17	Seattle	Y.P. Jackson	Am. Adl. O. Line
Dec. 21	San Francisco	Tanjo Maru	Jan. T.K.K.
Dec. 24	Seattle	Shidzuoka M.	Jan. N.Y.K.
Dec. 25	Vancouver	E. of Austral	Br. C.P.S.
Dec. 26	Seattle, etc.	Alabama Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Dec. 28	San Francisco	P. Taft	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Dec. 28	New York via Pma	C. of Pittsburg	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Dec. 30	New York via Pma	P. Jefferson	Am. Adl. O. Line
Dec. 31	Seattle	P. Lincoln	Br. J.M. & Co.
Jan. 6	San Francisco	P. Grant	Am. Adl. O. Line
Jan. 7	New York via Pma	Durban Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Jan. 8	San Francisco	Tanjo Maru	Am. China Mail
Jan. 13	Seattle	P. Grant	Am. Adl. O. Line
Jan. 13	San Francisco	Shinyo Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Jan. 20	San Francisco	P. Cleveland	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Jan. 25	Seattle	P. Madison	Am. Adl. O. Line
Jan. 26	New York via Pma	P. Dryden	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Jan. 27	Vancouver	E. of Asia	Br. C.P.S.
Feb. 3	San Francisco	P. Pierce	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Feb. 6	Seattle	P. McKinley	Am. Adl. O. Line
Feb. 11	San Francisco	China	Am. China Mail
Feb. 17	San Francisco	P. Wilson	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.

FOR JAPAN PORTS

Dec. 13	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Yawata Maru	Jan. N.Y.K.
Dec. 13	M. Kobe, Yama	Plassy	Br. M.M. & Co.
Dec. 16	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Nikko M.	Jap. N.Y.K.
Dec. 17	N. Sakai, K. Y. Yama	Yamashiro M.	Jan. N.Y.K.
Dec. 19	N. Sakai, K. Yama	Takeshima Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Dec. 19	Kobe	Tamba Maru	Jan. N.Y.K.
Dec. 20	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Hakui Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.

FOR EUROPE, INDIA, STRAITS, ETC.

Dec. 12	Hamburg, etc.	Shunko Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Dec. 15	Liverpool	Merlon	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 16	Bombay	†Scilia	Br. M. M. & Co.
Dec. 16	London	Kitano Maru	Jan. N. Y. K.
Dec. 19	Antwerp	Mentor	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 19	Liverpool	Canfa	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 23	London	†Kashgar	Br. M. M. & Co.
Dec. 24	Antwerp, etc.	†Sleus	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 25	Singapore, etc.	Stuart Dollar	Br. Dollar Co.
Dec. 25	Calcutta	Tanda	Br. M.M. & Co.
Dec. 26	Hamburg, etc.	Glaucus	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 30	London, etc.	Haruna Maru	Jan. N. Y. K.
Dec. 31	Singapore, etc.	West Ivan	Am. S. & B.
Jan. 3	Hamburg, etc.	Eumenes	Br. B. & S.
Jan. 4	Rotterdam, etc.	Oldekerk	Dut. H.C.T. Co.
Jan. 4	Hamburg, etc.	Glenifer	Br. G.L.E.A.
Jan. 5	Marseilles	†Andre Lebou	Fr. M. M. Cie
Jan. 6	London	†Plassy	Br. M. M. & Co.
Jan. 6	Hamburg	†Schlesien	Gr. Mel. & Co.
Jan. 10	Kobe, Yokohama	†Theusus	Br. B. & S.
Jan. 14	Hamburg, etc.	Carnarvonshire	Br. G.L.E.A.
Jan. 15	Liverpool, etc.	Keemun	Br. B. & S.
Jan. 17	Hamburg	Elpenor	Br. B. & S.
Jan. 17	Singapore, etc.	Stuart Dollar	Br. Dollar Co.
Jan. 20	Marseilles	†Amboise	Fr. M. M. Cie
Jan. 20	London	†Sardinia	Br. M.M. & Co.
Jan. 24	Hamburg, etc.	†Diomed	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 3	Marseilles	†Cordillera	Fr. M. M. Cie
Feb. 3	London	†Nellore	Br. M.M. & Co.
Feb. 2	Hamburg,	Weser	Gr. Mel. & Co.
Feb. 17	Marseilles	†Angkor	Fr. M. M. Cie

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AUCTIONS

IN FRONT SALESMAN

On Wednesday, December 13th at 10 a.m.
EXCELLENT HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, XMAS TOYS AND SUNDRIES
 Comprising:—

1 Suite White enameled Bedroom furniture fitted with bevelled mirrors, Cretonne covered double spring couch and arm chairs small roll top desk, Dressing tables, Chest of drawers, Bevelled mirror door wardrobes, Washstands, Overmantel, Hat and umbrella stand, Heating stoves, Electric Radiators, Mahogany stained inlaid Double Bedstead, Axminster carpet, Large Bookcase, Plush Couch, Velvet Curtains, Iron Safe, New Velvet Rugs, New Tientsin Carpets in various sizes, Pictures, Electric fittings, Good S. P. Ware, Wicker ware, Mahogany stained Dining Chairs, Brass fenders, Toilet Sets, Porcelain flower stands, Teak tea table, serving table, Brass Samovar, Hospital bed, Carved Wooden Figures, Sideboard, Dinner wagon, Extension dining table &c.

also
 New Wooden Blankets, Chinese Porcelains & Curios,
 Gold & Silver Watches, Mechanical Toys & Dolls
 Steam Engine Models.

CARGO AUCTION

On Wednesday, December 13th at 2.30 p.m.

40 Dozen Agricultural Wrenches 6, Dozen Coleman Lamps, 20 Blacksmith's Bledges, 5 Pieces Tweed, 2 Pieces Satten, Lining Striped, 9 Packages Cotton 4 Cases Zinc Powder, 2 Cases Vitafat, Tonic Food, 3 Cases Ladies Shoes, 23 Cases Corn Flour, 5 Cases Cocon, 20 Old Oak Casks 32 Tins Needles Hair Clippers Razors, Dyes, Chinese Ink (Liquid), Cigars, Butter Knives, Glass Shades Chimney Socks, Gloves, 5 pieces Suit length, 20 Lithostone-Yellow (Damaged), Buttons, Lamp Fittings.

Now On View

An Auction of Magnificent Furs will be held

in our Spacious Front Salesroom

On Thursday next the 14th instant

Commencing at 10 a.m.

and continuing at 2.30 p.m.

When a consignment of over

300 CROSSES & COATS

Will be offered

Including specimens

Valuable Sable Furs in various kinds, Fox Furs in white, yellow & other colours, Fox Leg Furs in many varieties, Squirrel back Furs in Cosses & Coats, Fine Grey Lamb Cosses (Krenol), Raccoon Skin Robes, Cat Skins in Coats and Robes of different shades, White Ermine Robes, Black Sheep Skins in Cosses & Coats, White Sheep Skins in Cosses & Coats, White Lamb Skin in Cosses & Coats, Rabbit Skins in Cosses & Coats, in various colours also

A Fine Selection of Whole Skins:—

Sable, White Ermine, Fox of several colours & Grades, Tiger Skins, Bear Skins, Leopard Skins &c.

and
 Fox Fur, Leopard Skin and Wolf Skin Rugs for Motor Car & Carriages, a large quantity of Goat Skin Rugs and Dog Mats.

On View Tuesday to date of Sale.

Catalogues ready on Wednesday.

The

EXHIBITION

of

DR. STAFFORD COX'S

COLLECTION

of

CHINESE

PORCELAINS,

BRONZES AND

PICTURES

will open at

NO. 545 THIBET ROAD

(Corner of Avenue Edward VII)

Monday, next Dec. 11th

Remaining open until

Sunday Evening, 17th inst.

after which an

AUCTION

will be held by

L. MOORE & CO., LTD.

at 545 THIBET ROAD

from

Tuesday, 19th instant,

until

Friday, 22nd instant,

Commencing each day 10 a.m.

and continuing at 2.30 p.m.

An entrance charge of 1.00 per day or \$3.00 the full week will be made during the exhibition, Tickets being obtainable from Messrs. Moutrie & Co., Robinson Piano Co., and THE AUCTIONEERS.

The Exhibition is now open

Catalogues on the Premises

Exhibition Tel. C. 1212.

FORWARD AUCTION

The Unique & Important Collection of Porcelain, Bronzes, Jades and Pictures belonging to Dr. Stafford Cox, at 545 Thibet Rd. (where they are now on Exhibition) on Tuesday—Dec. 19th to Friday 22nd

L. MOORE & CO., LTD.
 No. 45 Kiangso Road.

Great Bargains

On all kinds of Xmas presents and travelling goods,
 Arts Goods, Rice Paper Cards, Fancy Lacquer Wares, Chinese Curios, Silk Embroideries, Suit Cases, Fibre Wardrobe Trunks, Cabin Trunks, Ladies Hat Cases

CHAO CHONG STORE

135A Szechuen Road, Shanghai, opposite C. P. D.

Auction of Valuable Jewellery

Noel, Murray & Co., LIMITED

Will sell by PUBLIC AUCTION at within upper Salesroom on

Thursday, the 14th Dec., 1922, at 3 p.m.

A CHOICE COLLECTION OF JEWELLERY

(Just received from London)

Comprising:—

Rings, Bracelets, Brooches, Pendants, Earrings, Plaques, Buttons, Set with Diamonds

Sapphires, Rubies, Moon-Stones, Emeralds, Pearls, Opals and other Precious Stones Mounted in Gold and Platinum, Gold Watches, Chains, Purses, Cigarette and Note Cases, etc., etc.

also

7 Diamond and Platinum Wrist Watches.

1 Fine Diamond Oblong Brooch, by Cartier, Paris

1 Very Fine 3 Stone Diamond Ring

1 Very Fine Emerald Ring, Surrounded by Diamonds

1 Choice Diamond Cluster Ring

1 Very Fine Pearl Necklace (121 Pearls)

4 Pearls Loose Diamonds.

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Auctioneers, Real Estate Agents, Adjusters, Appraisers and Coal Merchants

Will sell by Public Auction within their Godown

18 PEKING ROAD

On Tuesday, the 12th December 1922,

at 2.30 p.m.

A large quantity of assorted wine and provisions

Comprising:—

Extra dry Geisenheim, Rhine, Champagne, pts. & quarts, French Sparkling wine "Diamond Star" (Messrs Bouvet Laduray, France), Liquors, Kummel, Alfa, Claret, Port Wine, Sherry, Vermouth, Brandy, "H. de Morlin" etc., etc.

also

30 cases American cocoa in 1 lb tins, Norwegian sardines, fruits, pickles, and provision etc., etc.

On View Morning of Sale.

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